Congressman Joe Kennedy

Grants Assistance Information Newsletter MASSACHUSETTS 4TH DISTRICT June 2015 Part 2

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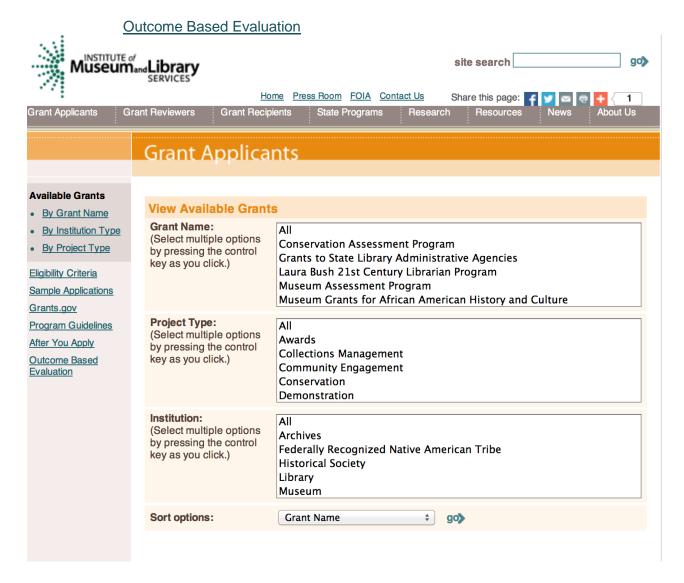
www.imls.gov

To search for awards see chart below: Also, take advantage of the information with these links:

Available Grants

By Grant Name
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- Eligibility Criteria
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http://www.imls.gov/applicants/available_grants.aspx

Each grant program has specific eligibility requirements. The links below provide general eligibility criteria for museums, libraries, and tribal organizations, but please note that additional organizations may be eligible for grants under certain programs. Additionally, ineligible organizations may still be able to participate in grant programs through partnerships with eligible organizations. Please click on the links below to see general criteria and review Applications and Guidelines for specific information.

Museums Libraries Tribal Organizations

Institutions: Archives, Federally Recognized Native American Tribe, Historical Society, Library, Nonprofits that serve Native Hawaiians, Professional Association, Public or Private Non-profit Institutions of Higher Education, Regional Organization, State Library Administrative Agency, State or Local Government

Check out IMLS's new Facebook page at: https://www.facebook.com/USIMLS

Reminders:

Museum Assessment Program Application:

The next MAP application deadline will be **July 1, 2015**. <u>Please contact MAP staff</u> to be added to the application notification e-mail list.

Deadline: July 01, 2015

Program Overview:

The Museum Assessment Program (MAP) is supported through a cooperative agreement between the Institute of Museum and Library Services and the American Alliance of Museums. It is designed to help museums assess their strengths and weaknesses, and plan for the future.

A MAP assessment requires members of the museum staff and governing authority to complete a self-study. After completion of the self-study, a site visit is conducted by one or more museum professionals, who tour the museum and meet with staff, governing officials, and volunteers. The reviewers work with the museum and MAP staff to produce a report evaluating the museum's operations, making recommendations, and suggesting resources.

There are three types of MAP assessments:

- Organizational Assessment: Reviews all areas of operations.
- Collections Stewardship Assessment: Focuses on collections policies, planning access, documentation, and collections care within the context of the museum's total operations.
- Community Engagement Assessment: Assesses the museum's understanding of and relationship with its communities as well as its communities' perceptions of and experiences with the museum.

Eligibility:

Eligible organizations should select one of the assessment types and prepare an application. Application materials and additional information are located at www.aam-us.org/map.

Department of the Interior

Working with Interior

The Interior Department provides assistance to the public, local governments and businesses through a number of programs. For a general overview see: http://www.doi.gov/index.cfm

Businesses should go to: http://www.doi.gov/businesses/index.cfm



http://www.doi.gov/businesses/working-with-interior.cfm

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Fish and Wildlife Service

Wildlife Without Borders - Critically Endangered Animals Conservation Fund Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number: F15AS00185

Funding Opportunity Title: Wildlife Without Borders - Critically Endangered Animals

Conservation Fund

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Community Development

Environment

Natural Resources

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 90

CFDA Number(s): 15.673 -- Wildlife Without Borders - Critically Endangered

Animal Conservation Fund

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: Apr 17, 2015 Creation Date:

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Archive Date:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling:

Award Floor:

Apr 17, 2015

Jun 19, 2015

Jul 20, 2015

\$200,000

\$25,000

\$25,000

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject

to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility"

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Applicants under this program can be individuals; multinational secretariats, State and Local governments; U.S. and foreign non-profit, non-governmental, community and indigenous organizations; and U.S. and foreign public and private institutions of higher education.

Fish and Wildlife Service

Agency Name: Description:

The Wildlife Without Borders - Critically Endangered Animals Conservation Fund will fund projects that conserve the world's most endangered species that currently face a very high risk of extinction. Species should meet the criteria to be categorized as threatened on the International Union for the Conservation of Nature (IUCN) Red List (including Critically Endangered, Endangered, and Vulnerable). Species listed as Data Deficient on the IUCN Red List are also eligible if the applicant can provide information that suggests a similar urgency for conservation action. Species listed as Extinct in Wild are eligible if the applicant is proposing a reintroduction attempt. The following species are NOT eligible for funding: Species with natural habitat range located within the United States, territories of the United States, Canada, and the high income economies of Europe; Species that are eligible for funding under one of the Multinational Species Conservation Fund programs, including: Asian elephant, African elephant, rhinoceros (all species), tiger (all subspecies), gorilla, chimpanzee, bonobo, orangutan, gibbons (all species) and marine turtles (all species); and Amphibian species that are eligible for funding through the Wildlife Without Borders - Amphibians in Decline program, including frogs, salamanders, and caecilians. The goal of this program is to reduce threats to highly endangered wildlife in their natural habitat. Proposals should identify specific conservation actions that have a high likelihood of creating durable benefits. Project activities that emphasize data collection and status assessment should describe a direct link to management action, and explain how lack of information has been a key limiting factor for management action in the past. Proposals that do not identify how actions will reduce threats, or do not demonstrate a strong link between data collection and management action, have a lower likelihood of being selected. Proposed project work should occur within the species range, or, if work is to be conducted outside of the range, the proposal should show a clear relevance to its conservation. Proposals that emphasize ex-situ conservation and captive management

are not eligible for consideration. Proposals that focus on the National Strategy for Combating Wildlife Trafficking are encouraged to apply. Proposals should identify how the species is affected by the illegal trade in wildlife and specific conservation actions that have a high likelihood of creating durable benefits. Proposals have a higher

likelihood of being selected that advance one or more of the strategic priorities of the United States National Strategy for

Combating Wildlife Trafficking, including (1)

strengthening efforts to stop illegal trade in wildlife and to enforce laws prohibiting wildlife trafficking; (2) reducing

demand for illegally traded wildlife by dissuading

consumers from purchasing illegally traded wildlife; and (3)

expanding government and civil support for, and

encouraging new partnerships in, the fight against wildlife

trafficking.

Link to Additional Information: How to Apply

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement

electronically, please contact:

Nikole Tucker, 703-358-2379 WWB_CEACF@fws.gov

Program Mailbox

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=275961

Fish and Wildlife Service

Multistate Conservation Grant Program

Document Type: Grants Notice **Funding Opportunity Number:** F15AS00181

Funding Opportunity Title: Multistate Conservation Grant Program

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Natural Resources

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 12

CFDA Number(s): 15.628 -- Multistate Conservation Grant

Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: Apr 13, 2015 **Creation Date:** Apr 13, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications: Aug 14, 2015 Letters of Intent are due by

May 11, 2015. Full Proposals are due by

August 14, 2015.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Aug 14, 2015 Letters of Intent are due by

May 11, 2015. Full Proposals are due by

August 14, 2015.

Archive Date: Sep 14, 2015 Estimated Total Program Funding: \$6,000,000

Eligible Applicants: State governments

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of

higher education

Private institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher

education

Public and State controlled institutions of

higher education

Agency Name: Fish and Wildlife Service

Description: The Sport Fish Restoration Act and the

Wildlife Restoration Act, as amended by the

Wildlife and Sport Fish Restoration

Programs Improvement Act of 2000 (Pub. L. 106-408) authorizes the Secretary of the Interior to make up to \$6,000,000

Interior to make up to \$6,000,000 (\$3,000,000 each from the Sport Fish Restoration and Wildlife Restoration Program trust funds) available annually under the Wildlife and Sport Fish

under the Wildlife and Sport Fish
Restoration Program for the purpose of
funding multistate conservation project
grants. The program is a discretionary grant
program which awards grants based on a
nationally competitive process that is

administered jointly between the Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies and the U.S.

Fish and Wildlife Service.

Link to Additional Information: http://www.grants.gov

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full

announcement electronically, please contact:

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=275840

Fish and Wildlife Service

The Partners for Fish and Wildlife Program

Modification 3

Document Type: Grants Notice **Funding Opportunity Number:** F15AS00004

Funding Opportunity Title: The Partners for Fish and Wildlife Program

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Environment
Natural Resources

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 5000

CFDA Number(s): 15.631 -- Partners for Fish and Wildlife

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: Oct 7, 2014 Creation Date: Jan 30, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications: Sep 30, 2015 For the full program

announcement and applications, please click

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Archive Date: Estimated Total Program Funding: Award Ceiling:

Eligible Applicants:

the "Full Announcement" link above. Sep 30, 2015 For the full program

announcement and applications, please click

the "Full Announcement" link above.

Oct 7, 2015 \$52,000,000 \$500,000

State governments Small businesses Individuals

Public and State controlled institutions of

higher education

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3)status with the IRS, other than institutions of

higher education

Native American tribal organizations (other

than Federally recognized tribal

governments)

City or township governments

Private institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments

(Federally recognized)

For profit organizations other than small

businesses

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the

IRS, other than institutions of higher

education

County governments Fish and Wildlife Service

The Partners for Fish and Wildlife (PFW) Program is a voluntary, incentive-based program that provides direct technical assistance and financial assistance in the form of cooperative agreements to private landowners to restore and conserve fish and wildlife habitat for the benefit of federal trust resources. The PFW Program is delivered through more than 250 full-time staff, active in all 50 States and territories. Partners for Fish and Wildlife Program staff coordinate with project partners,

stakeholders and other Service programs to identify geographic focus areas and develop habitat conservation priorities within these focus areas. Geographic focus areas are where the PFW Program directs resources to conserve habitat for federal trust species. Project work plans are developed

strategically, in coordination with partners, and with substantial involvement from Service field staff. Projects must advance our mission, promote biological diversity, and be based upon sound scientific biological principles. Program strategic plans inform the types of projects funded

Agency Name: Description:

under this opportunity. Applicants seeking funding under this program should review the program strategic plan and also contact the regional PFW Program office prior to submitting an application for funding.

Link to Additional Information: http://www.grants.gov

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full

announcement electronically, please contact:

Michael Murray, 703 358 2031 michael_murray@fws.gov michael_murray@fws.gov

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=268198

Fish and Wildlife Service

Fiscal Year 2015 Recovery Implementation Fund Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice **Funding Opportunity Number:** F15AS00038

Funding Opportunity Title: Fiscal Year 2015 Recovery Implementation Fund

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Grant

Procurement Contract

Category of Funding Activity: Environment

Natural Resources

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 15.657 -- Endangered Species Conservation - Recovery

Implementation Funds

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: Dec 5, 2014 Creation Date: Dec 5, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications: Jul 31, 2015 Applications are due by July 31, 2015.

However, you may submit applications throughout the year. Consideration of applications ultimately will be

based on the FWS budget cycle.

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jul 31, 2015 Applications are due by July 31, 2015.

However, you may submit applications throughout the year. Consideration of applications ultimately will be

based on the FWS budget cycle.

Archive Date: Oct 31, 2015

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above),

subject to any clarification in text field entitled

"Additional Information on Eligibility"

Additional Information on Eligibility: Applicants must have a demonstrated knowledge and

understanding of the biology of the involved

endangered or threatened species in the United States and their ecosystem, including preferably having worked with the species in the field and holding a currently valid Endangered Species Act permit, issued by the FWS, authorizing them to work with these species (or that have previously held a permit to do so).

Agency Name: Description:

Link to Additional Information:

Contact Information:

If funding is awarded, applicants that do not currently hold a valid permit for the proposed activity may need to apply for and obtain a permit (http://www.fws.gov/endangered/permits/index.html) before beginning the proposed activity. FWS Regional (or Field Office) contacts will discuss potential proposals with interested parties if needed, and review eligible applications. The FWS Regional Office will refer interested parties to the appropriate FWS Field Office for further consideration as appropriate. For potential proposals submitted directly to the Field Office, the Field Office will conduct the proposal review and selection process. A list of FWS Regional

Office contacts is available in the Full Announcement

Fish and Wildlife Service

under section VII. Agency Contacts.

The FWS Ecological Services Program provides Federal financial assistance on a competitive basis to States, other Federal agencies, landowners, educators, nonprofit organizations, researchers, and other partners to secure information about endangered, threatened or candidate species, to aid in the recovery of these species, to avert listing of species pursuant to the Endangered Species Act, and to help conserve the ecosystems upon which these species depend. The FWS and National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), which is part of the Department of Commerce's NOAA Fisheries office, share Endangered Species Act responsibilities for several species such as sea turtles. We have responsibility for sea turtles when they are on land, and NMFS has responsibility for sea turtles when they are in the water. Projects for NMFS-managed species are not included in this funding opportunity. This Recovery Implementation funding opportunity is intended for projects that will contribute to the recovery of FWS-managed endangered and threatened species in the United States, and is limited to projects carrying out actions described in a species approved recovery plan, in the implementation schedule of a species approved recovery plan, actions recommended in a completed 5year status review of the species or in a spotlight species action plan, or projects documenting species response to climate change. For example: securing scientific information about endangered or threatened species, implementing restoration actions that will lead to delisting of a species, help prevent extinction of a species, or aid in the recovery of a species. Projects that address species response to climate change will receive additional consideration.

Please visit http://www.grants.gov/ and search for CFDA Number 15.657 for the full announcement If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

Kelly Niland, 703-358-2492 Kelly_Niland@fws.gov

Fish and Wildlife Service The Coastal Program Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice **Funding Opportunity Number:** F15AS00005

Funding Opportunity Title: The Coastal Program

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Environment
Natural Resources

Category Explanation:

Agency Name:

Expected Number of Awards: 500

CFDA Number(s): 15.630 -- Coastal Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: Oct 8, 2014 Creation Date: Oct 8, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications: Sep 30, 2015 Please click on the "Full Announcement" link

above or contact the local Coastal Program office at

http://www.fws.gov/coastal/contactUs.html

Current Closing Date for Applications: Sep 30, 2015 Please click on the "Full Announcement" link

above or contact the local Coastal Program office at

http://www.fws.gov/coastal/contactUs.html

Archive Date: Oct 1, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$6,000
Award Ceiling: \$500,000

Award Floor: \$0

Eligible Applicants: Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally

recognized tribal governments)

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than

institutions of higher education

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Private institutions of higher education

State governments Small businesses

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS,

other than institutions of higher education

City or township governments

Individuals

For profit organizations other than small businesses

County governments

Special district governments Fish and Wildlife Service

Description: The Coastal Program is a voluntary, incentive-based

program that provides direct technical assistance and

financial assistance in the form of cooperative agreements to coastal communities and landowners to restore and protect fish and wildlife habitat on public and private lands. Coastal Program staff coordinate with project partners, stakeholders and other Service programs to identify geographic focus areas and develop habitat conservation priorities within these focus areas. Geographic focus areas are where the Coastal Program directs resources to conserve habitat for federal trust species. Project work plans are developed strategically, in coordination with partners, and with substantial

involvement from Service field staff. Projects must advance our mission, promote biological diversity, and be based upon sound scientific biological principles. Program strategic plans inform the types of projects funded under this

opportunity. Applicants seeking funding under this program should review the program strategic plan and also contact the regional Coastal Program office prior to submitting an

application for funding.

Link to Additional Information: http://www.grants.gov

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement

electronically, please contact:

Gerri Watkins, Management Analyst, 7033582101

Gerri_Watkins@fws.gov Gerri_Watkins@fws.gov

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=268288

Fish and Wildlife Service

Cooperative Landscape Conservation and Science Support Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:F15AS00000

Funding Opportunity Title: Cooperative Landscape Conservation and Science

Support

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement Category of Funding Activity: Natural Resources

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 15.669 -- Cooperative Landscape Conservation

15.670 -- Adaptive Science

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:Oct 1, 2014Creation Date:Sep 30, 2014Original Closing Date for Applications:Sep 30, 2015Current Closing Date for Applications:Sep 30, 2015Archive Date:Oct 30, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$1,000,000 **Award Floor:** \$1,000

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above),

subject to any clarification in text field entitled

"Additional Information on Eligibility"

Agency Name: Fish and Wildlife Service

Description: The USFWS uses a science-based, adaptive

framework for setting and achieving cross-program conservation objectives that strategically address the

problems fish and wildlife will face in the future. This framework, called Strategic Habitat Conservation, is based on the principles of adaptive management and uses population and habitat data, ecological models, and focused monitoring and assessment efforts to develop and implement strategies that result in measurable fish and wildlife population outcomes. In addition, by leveraging resources and strategically targeting science to inform conservation decisions and actions, Landscape Conservation Cooperatives (LCCs) have created a network of partners working in unison to ensure the sustainability of America's land, water, wildlife and cultural resources. Financial assistance may be awarded for science projects and LCCprioritized biological planning, conservation design and adaptive management projects to include: research; inventory design and implementation; monitoring; goal and priority setting associated with efficient and effective conservation; development of implementation strategies; and projects supporting all other FWS organizational efforts, including planning, establishment maintenance, and general business operations. Proposals will be reviewed and evaluated on a rolling basis subject to available funding.

Link to Additional Information:

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement

electronically, please contact:

Anna-Marie York Grants Management Specialist

Phone 703-358-1881 Grant Specialist

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=267539

Fish and Wildlife Service NAWCA-15-U.S. STANDARD GRANTS Modification 2

Document Type: Grants Notice **Funding Opportunity Number:** F15AS00068

Funding Opportunity Title: NAWCA-15-U.S. STANDARD GRANTS

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Natural Resources

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 50

CFDA Number(s): 15.623 -- North American Wetlands

Conservation Fund

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

Posted Date:
Creation Date:

Original Closing Date for Applications:
Current Closing Date for Applications:
Archive Date:

Jan 13, 2015

Mar 3, 2015

Feb 27, 2015

Jul 7, 2015

Jul 8, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$50,000,000

Award Ceiling: \$1,000,000 **Award Floor:** \$75,001

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity

above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Agency Name: Fish and Wildlife Service

Description: The U.S. Standard Grants Program is a

competitive, matching grants program that supports public-private partnerships carrying out projects in the United States that further the goals of the North American Wetlands

Conservation Act. These projects must involve

only long-term protection, restoration,

enhancement and/or establishment of wetlands and associated uplands habitats for the benefit of all wetlands-associated migratory birds. A 1:1 match is required. Research funding is

ineligible.

Link to Additional Information:

NAWCA U.S. Standard Grant application

instructions

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full

announcement electronically, please contact:

David Buie, U.S. Standard Grant Coordinator,

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david_buie@fws.gov

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=271374

National Park Service

Historic Preservation Fund Grants to Underrepresented Communities

Modification 1

Document Type: Grants Notice **Funding Opportunity Number:** P15AS00078

Funding Opportunity Title: Historic Preservation Fund Grants to Underrepresented

Communities

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other

Category of Funding Activity" for clarification)

Category Explanation: Historic Preservation

Expected Number of Awards: 15

CFDA Number(s): 15.904 -- Historic Preservation Fund Grants-In-Aid

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Apr 1, 2015
Apr 1, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:
Current Closing Date for Applications:
Jun 15, 2015
Jun 15, 2015
Archive Date:
Jul 1, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$500,000 **Award Ceiling:** \$75,000 **\$25,000**

Eligible Applicants: State governments

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on

Eligibility" for clarification) City or township governments

Native American tribal governments (Federally

recognized)

County governments

Additional Information on Eligibility: Native Alaska Organizations, Native Hawaiian

Organizations as defined by 54 U.S.C. 300314. Only local governments that have been designated Certified Local Governments (CLG) by the NPS and their SHPO

may apply. A list of CLGs is found here:

http://grantsdev.cr.nps.gov/CLG Review/search.cfm

Agency Name: National Park Service

Description: Grant projects must support the survey, inventory, and

designation of historic properties that are associated with communities currently underrepresented in the National Register of Historic Places and among National Historic Landmarks, as determined by the National Park Service

and the applicant.

Link to Additional Information: http://www.nps.gov/preservation-grants/community-

grants.html

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement

electronically, please contact:

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hampton_tucker@nps.gov

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=275597

Department of Justice





http://www.justice.gov/business/

Grants and Contract Overview

The Department offers funding opportunities to conduct research, to support law enforcement activities in state and local jurisdictions, to provide training and technical assistance, and to implement programs that improve the criminal justice system.

The DOJ agencies listed below also have sites that provide grant information specific to that agency. Examples of what can be found on these sites are programs, funding opportunities, application assistance, and other useful information.

- Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA)
- Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS)
- National Criminal Justice Reference Service (NCJRS)
- National Institute of Justice (NIJ)
- Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP)
- Office of Sex Offender Sentencing, Monitoring, Apprehending, Registering, and Tracking (SMART)
- Office for Victims of Crime (OVC)

Programs:

Community Oriented Policing Services COPS-CAGI-Application-2015 Grant

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: COPS-CAGI-APPLICATION-2015 **Funding Opportunity Title:** COPS-CAGI-Application-2015

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 16.710 -- Public Safety Partnership and **Community Policing Grants**

No **Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

May 18, 2015 **Posted Date:** May 4, 2015

The deadline for submitting applications in

response to this grant announcement is 7:59

PM EDT on Friday, June 19, 2015.

Applications submitted after this deadline

will not be considered for funding.

The deadline for submitting applications in **Current Closing Date for Applications:**

response to this grant announcement is 7:59

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Sep 30, 2015 **Archive Date:**

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$750,000 **Award Floor:**

Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Open to all multijurisdictional task forces composed of federal, state, and local law enforcement partnerships to address gang

activity. Only the lead law enforcement agency on the multijurisdictional task force

is eligible to apply for funding.

Community Oriented Policing Services This solicitation is being announced as an

open competition targeted at

multijurisdictional task forces composed of federal, state, and local partnerships to address gang activity. CAGI provides funds directly to the lead law enforcement agency on a multijurisdictional task force to address gang activity. Funds awarded through CAGI shall be used to support regional anti-gang task forces focusing on enforcement, prevention/education, and intervention of gang activity. Funding is limited and this solicitation is expected to be very

competitive. Strong applications should demonstrate a multijurisdictional reach and participation in interdisciplinary team

structures (i.e., task forces). The goal for this program is to advance public safety by

increasing efforts to address gang activities. The COPS Office reserves the right to limit

Creation Date:

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Award Ceiling:

Eligible Applicants:

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Agency Name: Description:

awards to one per state at the time of award

announcement.

Link to Additional Information: COPS Anti-Gang Initiative (CAGI)

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full

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COPS Office Response Center Phone:

800.421.6770

COPS Response Center

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276308

Office of Justice Programs
Bureau of Justice Assistance

BJA FY 15 Technology Innovation for Public Safety (TIPS) Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: BJA-2015-4196

Funding Opportunity Title: BJA FY 15 Technology Innovation for

Public Safety (TIPS)

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 16.738 -- Edward Byrne Memorial Justice

Assistance Grant Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
May 14, 2015
May 14, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:
Current Closing Date for Applications:
Archive Date:
Jul 2, 2015
Aug 1, 2015
Aug 1, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$500,000 Award Floor: \$0

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Native American tribal governments

(Federally recognized) County governments

City or township governments

State governments

Additional Information on Eligibility: Eligible applicants are limited to public

agencies of state governments, units of local government, and tribal entities that perform criminal justice functions (or government agencies acting as fiscal agents for eligible applicants). Furthermore, to be eligible for funding applicants must propose solutions that target jurisdictions that are currently experiencing precipitous or extraordinary increases in crime, in accordance with 42

U.S.C. § 3756(b)(1). BJA welcomes

Agency Name: Description:

Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:

applications that involve two or more entities; however, one eligible entity must be the applicant and the others must be proposed as subrecipients. The applicant must be the entity with primary responsibility for administering the funding and managing the entire project. Only one application per lead applicant will be considered, although subrecipients may be part of multiple proposals. Bureau of Justice Assistance While many jurisdictions are making significant progress implementing justice information-sharing solutions to address critical gaps in coordinating crime prevention across organizations and jurisdictions, there remain significant challenges that inhibit the ability of the criminal justice system to respond to threats to public safety, especially when it comes to stemming violent crime and homicide. For this solicitation, justice information-sharing technology refers to any technology (hardware and/or software, hosted residentially or remotely) that plays a role in the collection, storage, sharing, and analysis of criminal justice data. Funding under this program is provided to assist state, local, and tribal jurisdictions in enhancing their information-sharing capacity through the use of innovative technological solutions such that they may more effectively address disproportional and precipitous increases in crime. The goals of the funding program include: 1. Promoting information sharing and collaboration within and among criminal justice agencies that have a role in preventing and investigating crime. 2. Developing and enhancing policies and practices that leverage technology to promote public safety and reduce crime. 3. Supporting implementation of informationsharing solutions at the local, regional, state, tribal, and national levels that have a measureable positive impact on the crime trends identified by the applying jurisdiction. 4. Improving the quantity and quality of evidence-based justice information-sharing programs.

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holidays.

Technical Assistance

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276589

Community Oriented Policing Services COPS-COMMUNITY-POLICING-DEVELOPMENT-2015 Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: COPS-COMMUNITY-POLICING-

DEVELOPMENT-2015

Funding Opportunity Title: COPS-COMMUNITY-POLICING-

DEVELOPMENT-2015

Discretionary **Opportunity Category:**

Cooperative Agreement **Funding Instrument Type:**

Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 16.710 -- Public Safety Partnership and

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EDT on Monday, June 19, 2015.

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Archive Date: Sep 30, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$1,000,000 **Award Floor:** \$75,000

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

This solicitation is open to all public Additional Information on Eligibility:

> governmental agencies, profit and nonprofit institutions, institutions of higher education,

community groups and faith-based organizations. Proposals should be

responsive to the topic selected, significantly advance the field of community policing, and demonstrate an understanding of community policing as it pertains to the

Agency Name: Description:

application topic. Applications that represent partnerships between law enforcement agencies and institution of higher education and nonprofit institutions are encouraged. Except where otherwise indicated, initiatives that primarily or solely benefit one or a limited number of law enforcement agencies or other entities will not be considered for funding.

Community Oriented Policing Services Community Policing Development (CPD) funds are used to advance the practice of community policing in law enforcement agencies through training and technical assistance, demonstration project, the development of innovative community policing strategies, applied research, guidebooks, and best practices. The COPS Office, a federal provider of innovative, customer-focused resources that address the continuing and emerging needs of those engaged in enhancing public safety through community policing, has designed the CPD solicitation to address critical topics in the law enforcement field by building on the principles of community policing. The 2015 CPD program has been established to fund specific projects related to the following topic areas: (1) Microgrant Initiative for Law Enforcement; (2) Critical Response Technical Assistance; (3) Community Policing Emerging Issues Forums; (4) President's Task Force on 21st Century Policing Field Initiated Projects; (5) Collaborative Reform Initiative Program Evaluation; and (6) Invitational Awards. There is up to \$4 million in CPD funds, subject to the availability of funding, and the COPS Office aims to fund numerous projects. All awards are subject to the availability of appropriated funds and any modifications or additional requirements that may be imposed by law. Funding is limited, and we expect this solicitation to be very competitive. The COPS Office may make some awards from the CPD solicitation in the form of a cooperative agreement, which is the funding instrument used if the COPS Office anticipates ongoing substantial involvement in award activities. Cooperative agreement recipients will be responsible for day-to-day project management but should expect direct oversight and collaboration by the COPS Office in implementing the award. Examples of substantial federal involvement

may include, but are not limited to,

participating in the selection of key recipient

personnel; providing feedback on

deliverables before publication; approving all conference-related costs prior to obligation; and redirecting the work as

appropriate.

Link to Additional Information:

Contact Information:

Community Policing Development Program
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announcement electronically, please contact:

COPS Office Response Center Phone:

800.421.6770

COPS Response Center

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276362

Office of Justice Programs

Bureau of Justice Assistance

BJA FY 15 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program Local Solicitation

Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:BJA-2015-4167

Funding Opportunity Title: BJA FY 15 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice

Assistance Grant (JAG) Program Local

Solicitation

Opportunity Category: Other **Funding Instrument Type:** Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 16.738 -- Edward Byrne Memorial Justice

Assistance Grant Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
May 12, 2015
May 12, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:
Current Closing Date for Applications:
Archive Date:
Jun 26, 2015
Jul 26, 2015
Jul 26, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$2,000,000

Award Floor: \$0

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

City or township governments

Additional Information on Eligibility: Applicants are limited to units of local

government appearing on the FY 2015 JAG Allocations List. To view this list, go to www.bja.gov/programs/jag/15jagallocations. html. For JAG Program purposes, a unit of local government is: a town, township, village, parish, city, county, borough, or

other general purpose political subdivision

of a state; or, it may also be a federally recognized Indian tribe that performs law enforcement functions (as determined by the Secretary of the Interior). Otherwise a unit of local government may be any law enforcement district or judicial enforcement district established under applicable state law with authority to independently establish a budget and impose taxes. In Louisiana, a unit of local government means a district attorney or parish sheriff.

Bureau of Justice Assistance

The Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program (42 U.S.C. § 3751(a)) is the primary provider of federal criminal justice funding to state and local jurisdictions. The JAG Program provides states and units of local governments with critical funding necessary to support a range of program areas including law enforcement, prosecution and court programs, prevention and education programs, corrections and community corrections, drug treatment and enforcement, crime victim and witness initiatives, and planning, evaluation, and technology improvement programs.

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option 3, or via e-mail to

GMS.HelpDesk@usdoj.gov. The GMS Support Hotline hours of operation are Monday–Friday from 6:00 a.m. to midnight eastern time, except federal holidays.

Technical Assistance

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276512

Office of Justice Programs

Link to Additional Information:

Contact Information:

Agency Name: Description:

Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention

OJJDP FY 2015 Smart on Juvenile Justice: Enhancing Youth Access to Justice Initiative Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number: OJJDP-2015-4209

Funding Opportunity Title: OJJDP FY 2015 Smart on Juvenile Justice:

Enhancing Youth Access to Justice Initiative

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Law, Justice and Legal Services Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 8

CFDA Number(s): 16.738 -- Edward Byrne Memorial Justice

Assistance Grant Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
May 12, 2015
May 12, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:
Current Closing Date for Applications:
Jun 25, 2015
Jun 25, 2015

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jun 25, 2015 **Archive Date:** Jul 25, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Agency Name:

Award Ceiling: \$1,280,000

Award Floor: \$0

Eligible Applicants: Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the

IRS, other than institutions of higher

education

For profit organizations other than small

businesses

Native American tribal governments

(Federally recognized) State governments

Public and State controlled institutions of

higher education Small businesses

Private institutions of higher education This initiative is composed of three

categories, and the eligibility differs for each category: • Category 1: Youth Access to Justice State Reform Planning Grants. Eligible applicants are limited to states (including territories and the District of Columbia) and federally recognized tribal governments (as determined by the Secretary of the Interior). • Category 2: Youth Access

to Justice Training and Technical Assistance. Applicants are limited to nonprofit and for-profit organizations (including tribal nonprofit and for-profit organizations) and institutions of higher education (including tribal institutions of higher education). For-profit organizations

must agree to forgo any profit or management fee. • Category 3: Youth Access to Justice State and Tribal Juvenile Defender Resource Centers. Applicants are

limited to nonprofit and for-profit

organizations (including tribal nonprofit and for-profit organizations) and institutions of

higher education (including tribal

institutions of higher education). For-profit organizations must agree to forgo any profit

or management fee.

Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency

Prevention

Description: This initiative will provide funding to (1) develop effective, statewide, well-resourced

delivery systems; (2) develop and implement standards of practice and policy for the effective management of such delivery systems; and (3) develop state or regional resource centers to help state, tribal, and local juvenile defense systems enhance the quality of legal representation, leverage resources, and collect and analyze data to measure the effectiveness of specific initiatives. This initiative will provide costeffective and innovative training for the juvenile indigent defense bar, including public defenders and court-appointed counsel working on behalf of juvenile indigent defendants, particularly in traditionally underserved locations, including rural areas.

model juvenile indigent defense legal

Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276513

Modifications:

Reminders:

Office of Justice Programs National Institute of Justice

NIJ FY15 Research and Evaluation on Victims of Crime Grant

Document Type: Funding Opportunity Number:Grants Notice
NIJ-2015-4180

Funding Opportunity Title: NIJ FY15 Research and Evaluation on

Victims of Crime

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research, Evaluation, and Development

Project Create

Project Grants

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Apr 15, 2015
Apr 15, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:
Current Closing Date for Applications:
Archive Date:
Jun 26, 2015
Jul 26, 2015
Jul 26, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$1,000,000 **Award Floor:** \$1,000

Eligible Applicants: Small businesses

County governments

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of

higher education

Private institutions of higher education

City or township governments Special district governments

Native American tribal organizations (other

than Federally recognized tribal

governments)

Public housing authorities/Indian housing

authorities

For profit organizations other than small

businesses Individuals

Native American tribal governments

(Federally recognized)

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the

IRS, other than institutions of higher

education

Public and State controlled institutions of

higher education

Independent school districts
National Institute of Justice

NIJ has a longstanding history of

collaborating with and supporting the Office for Victims of Crime (OVC) on research, evaluation, and programmatic projects. Over the years, the shared priorities of OVC and NIJ have resulted in a number of collective projects, workshops, and research. In collaboration with OVC, NIJ is seeking

proposals for research on victims and victimization in the following three areas that are of interest to both agencies. 1. Studying the Victim-Offender Overlap. 2. Understanding the Violent Victimization

Agency Name: Description:

Experiences of Young Men of Color. 3. Research on the Broader Impacts of School

Shootings.

Full Solicitation

Link to Additional Information:

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full

announcement electronically, please contact:

National Criminal Justice Reference Service (NCJRS) Response Center: toll free at 1-

800-851-3420 Program Contact

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=275892

Office of Justice Programs

Bureau of Justice Assistance

BJA FY 15 Second Chance Act Comprehensive Community-Based Adult Reentry Program

Utilizing Mentors Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:BJA-2015-4199

Funding Opportunity Title: BJA FY 15 Second Chance Act

Comprehensive Community-Based Adult Reentry Program Utilizing Mentors

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 16.812 -- Second Chance Act Reentry

Initiative

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Apr 15, 2015
Apr 15, 2015
Apr 15, 2015
Apr 15, 2015
Jun 11, 2015
Jun 11, 2015
Archive Date:
Jul 11, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$1,000,000

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for algrification

Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the

IRS, other than institutions of higher

education

Additional Information on Eligibility: Applicants are limited to nonprofit

organizations (including tribal nonprofit organizations) with a documented history of providing comprehensive, evidence-based reentry services, and federally-recognized

Indian tribes.

Agency Name: Bureau of Justice Assistance

Description: The Second Chance Act of 2007 (Pub. L.

110-199) provides a comprehensive response to the increasing number of

incarcerated adults and juveniles who are released from prison, jail, and juvenile residential facilities and returning to communities. There are currently over 2.2 million individuals serving time in our federal and state prisons, and millions of people cycling through tribal and local jails every year. Ninety-five percent of all people incarcerated today will eventually be released and will return to communities. The coordination of reentry of members of Native American tribes is even more complex given that they can return from federal, Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA), state, local, and tribal facilities. The Second Chance Act helps to ensure that the transition individuals make from prison, jail, or juvenile residential facilities to the community is successful and promotes public safety. The Second Chance Act grant funding is designed to help communities develop and implement comprehensive and collaborative strategies that address the challenges posed by reentry and recidivism reduction. "Reentry" is not a specific program, but rather a process that starts when an individual is initially incarcerated and ends when he or she has been successfully reintegrated in the community as a law-abiding citizen. Section 211 of the Act authorizes grants to nonprofit organizations and federally recognized Indian tribes that may be used for comprehensive wrap-around services/programs which incorporate the use of trained mentors to promote the safe and successful reintegration into the community of adults who have been incarcerated. It is expected that program participants will be screened, assessed, and identified for program participation pre-release, and ideally, mentoring relationships will begin pre-release. During the post-release phase of the reentry program, participants will receive case management, connection to evidencebased programming designed to ensure that the transition from prison or jail to the community is safe and successful, and the benefit of a mentor. In instances where geographic distance or other obstacles preclude in-person visits between mentors and mentees pre-release, other mechanisms, such as voice and video calling, may be utilized when allowed and appropriate to begin mentoring relationships.

Link to Additional Information: Full Announcement

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Technical Assistance

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=275895

Office of Justice Programs

Bureau of Justice Assistance

BJA FY 15 Improving Public Safety and Health Outcomes for the Justice-Involved Population Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:BJA-2015-4203

Funding Opportunity Title: BJA FY 15 Improving Public Safety and

Health Outcomes for the Justice-Involved

Population

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 16.812 -- Second Chance Act Reentry

Initiative

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Apr 15, 2015
Jun 11, 2015
Jun 11, 2015
Archive Date:
Jul 11, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$500,000

Eligible Applicants: Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the

IRS, other than institutions of higher

education

For profit organizations other than small

businesses

Public and State controlled institutions of

higher education

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Public housing authorities/Indian housing

authorities

Additional Information on Eligibility: Eligible applicants are limited to nonprofit

organizations, tribal organizations, faithbased and community organizations, **Agency Name: Description:**

Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:

institutions of higher education (including tribal institutions of higher education), and for-profit (commercial) organizations. Forprofit organizations must agree to waive any profit or fees for services. BJA welcomes applications that involve two or more entities; however, one eligible entity must be the applicant and the others must be proposed as subrecipients. The applicant must be the entity with primary responsibility for administering the funding and managing the entire project. Only one application per lead applicant will be considered; however, subrecipients may be part of multiple proposals. Bureau of Justice Assistance Justice-involved individuals are seven times as likely as the general population to experience mental illness, substance abuse disorders, infectious disease, and chronic health conditions, 1 making reentry from jails and prison an especially critical juncture. For individuals reentering communities after incarceration, disruptions in medical care and treatment contribute to increased rates of reincarceration, increased drug use, and poor and costly health outcomes, including a 12-fold increase in the risk of death in the first 2 weeks after release.2 State and local criminal justice systems can play an important role in ensuring justice-involved populations receive assistance and support in applying for healthcare coverage, which can help divert individuals from the criminal justice system, reduce recidivism, and also provide a continuum of care for individuals preparing to reenter their communities after periods of incarceration. This solicitation seeks a national training and technical assistance provider to assist select state and local criminal justice systems in connecting the criminal justice population to community-based health coverage and care, as well as develop resources to assist the broader criminal justice field nationwide. Full Announcement If you have difficulty accessing the full

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Technical Support

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=275908

Office of Justice Programs Bureau of Justice Statistics

FY 2015 Graduate Research Fellowship Program for Criminal Justice Statistics Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:BJS-2015-4216

Funding Opportunity Title: FY 2015 Graduate Research Fellowship

Program for Criminal Justice Statistics

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement Category of Funding Activity: Information and Statistics

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 3

CFDA Number(s): 16.734 -- Special Data Collections and

Statistical Studies

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Apr 10, 2015
Apr 10, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:
Current Closing Date for Applications:
Jun 10, 2015
Archive Date:
Jul 10, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$150,000

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Eligible applicants are limited to degree-granting educational institutions in the United States. To be eligible, the institution

must be fully accredited by one of the regional institutional accreditation agencies

recognized by the U.S. Secretary of

Education. Historically Black Colleges and Universities are encouraged to consider applying. Under this solicitation, the applicant institution must apply as the

sponsoring institution on behalf of a doctoral

student candidate whose dissertation research substantially uses, in whole or in part, data made available by BJS. Applicant institutions are strongly encouraged to consider minority and female student

candidates.

Agency Name: Bureau of Justice Statistics

Description: The Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS) is

seeking applications under its Graduate Research Fellowship (GRF) Program. This

program provides awards to accredited universities for doctoral research that uses criminal justice data or statistical series and focuses on crime, violence, and other criminal justice-related topics. BJS invests in doctoral education by supporting universities that sponsor students who demonstrate the potential to complete doctoral degree programs successfully in disciplines relevant to the mission of BJS, and who are in the final stages of graduate study. The ultimate goal of this solicitation is to increase the pool of researchers using criminal justice statistical data generated by BJS, thereby contributing solutions that better prevent and control crime and help ensure the fair and impartial administration of criminal justice in the United States. Applicant institutions sponsoring doctoral students are eligible to apply only if the doctoral research dissertation has direct implications for criminal justice policy and practice in the United States. BJS encourages institutions to consider doctoral students from social and behavioral sciences, mathematics, or statistics academic disciplines for their applications. Applicant institutions are strongly encouraged to sponsor minority and female student candidates. Awards are anticipated to be made to successful applicant institutions in the form of a cooperative agreement to cover a fellowship for the sponsored doctoral student. Each fellowship potentially provides up to 3 years of support, usable over a 5-year period. For each year of support, BJS provides the degree-granting institution a stipend of \$35,000, usable toward the student's salary and related costs, and up to \$15,000 to cover the student's tuition and fees, research expenses, and related costs (see B. Federal Award Information). If the doctoral student's dissertation is not completed and delivered to BJS within the 5-year period, the academic institution will be required to return the full award amount to BJS. Final award decisions will be made by the Director of the Bureau of Justice Statistics. Program Announcement If you have difficulty accessing the full

Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:

> Cathy Maston Management and Program Analyst Phone 2023075992

General Information

announcement electronically, please contact:

Office of Justice Programs
Bureau of Justice Assistance

BJA FY 15 National Initiatives: Promoting Effective Justice Systems Strategies Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number: BJA-2015-4200

Funding Opportunity Title: BJA FY 15 National Initiatives: Promoting

Effective Justice Systems Strategies

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 16.738 -- Edward Byrne Memorial Justice

Assistance Grant Program

16.827 -- Justice Reinvestment Initiative

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Apr 23, 2015
Apr 23, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:
Current Closing Date for Applications:
Jun 16, 2015
Archive Date:
Jul 16, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Award Ceiling: \$400,000

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility" for clarification) For profit organizations other than small

businesses

Public and State controlled institutions of

higher education

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the

IRS, other than institutions of higher

education

Private institutions of higher education Eligible applicants are limited to public and

private entities, including for-profit (commercial) and nonprofit organizations (including tribal for-profit or nonprofit organizations), and institutions of higher education (including tribal institutions of higher education). For-profit organizations

must agree to forgo any profit or

management fee. Applicants must also have

experience in delivering training and technical assistance nationwide.

Bureau of Justice Assistance

Agency Name: Bureau of Justice Assistance

Description:The purpose of this program is to provide state and local criminal justice practitioners

and stakeholders with objective information, resources, and training and technical

assistance (TTA) on timely and emerging

Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:

criminal justice issues and actionable information to improve the uptake and quality of evidence-based practice. Category 1 of this solicitation seeks a provider to develop content for a web-based clearinghouse and provide technical assistance to criminal justice practitioners and stakeholders regarding the science and practice of risk and needs assessment to inform decisions at various points in the criminal justice system. Category 1 is funded through the Justice Reinvestment Initiative (JRI) appropriation, under the Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2015, Pub. L. 113-235. Category 2 of this solicitation seeks to identify a provider or team of providers to leverage and bolster the successful work to date of the National Resource Center on Justice-Involved Women. Category 2 is funded under the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program. The JAG Program (42 U.S.C. 3750 et seq.) is the primary provider of federal criminal justice funding to state and local jurisdictions, and JAG funds support all components of the criminal justice system. The Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2015, Pub. L. No. 113-76, 128 Stat. 5, 68, Title II Sec. 213(1) provides that "up to 3 percent of funds made available to the Office of Justice Programs for grant or reimbursement programs may be used by such Office to provide training and technical assistance."

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Bureau of Justice Assistance

BJA FY 15 PREA Program: Demonstration Projects to Establish "Zero Tolerance" Cultures for Sexual Assault in Correctional Facilities Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:BJA-2015-4174

Funding Opportunity Title:BJA FY 15 PREA Program: Demonstration

Projects to Establish "Zero Tolerance" Cultures for Sexual Assault in Correctional

Facilities

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 16.735 -- PREA Program: Demonstration

Projects to Establish 'Zero Tolerance' Cultures for Sexual Assault in Correctional

Capilities

Facilities

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Apr 16, 2015
Apr 16, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:
Current Closing Date for Applications:
Archive Date:
Jun 10, 2015
Jul 10, 2015
Jul 10, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$500,000

Eligible Applicants: City or township governments

Native American tribal governments

(Federally recognized) State governments County governments

Agency Name: Bureau of Justice Assistance

Description: In FY 2013 the Bureau of Justice Statistics

(BJS) released the 2011-2012 findings from the most recent surveys of jail and prison

inmates about incidences of sexual

victimization.1 Based on this information, 4.0 percent of state and federal prison inmates, and 3.2 percent of jail inmates

within the United States, reported

experiencing one or more incidents of sexual victimization by another inmate or facility

staff in the past 12 months or since admission to the facility.2 In juvenile facilities, the numbers were even more troubling. An estimated 9.5 percent of adjudicated youth in state juvenile facilities

and state contract facilities (representing

1,720 youth nationwide) reported

experiencing one or more incidents of sexual victimization by another youth or staff in the past 12 months or since admission, if less than 12 months, 3 On June 20, 2012, DOJ

published the Final Rule creating standards

as required by the Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA). The standards apply to adult prisons and jails, juvenile correctional facilities, police lockups, and community residential centers. The standards, which took effect on August 20, 2012, seek to prevent sexual abuse and to reduce the harm that it causes. The standards are grouped into

11 categories: prevention planning,

responsive planning, training and education, screening for risk of sexual victimization and abusiveness, reporting, official response following an inmate report, investigations, discipline, medical and mental care, data collection and review, and audits.

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Office of Justice Programs Bureau of Justice Statistics

2015 Visiting Fellows: Criminal Justice Statistics Programs Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number: BJS-2015-4232

Funding Opportunity Title: 2015 Visiting Fellows: Criminal Justice

Statistics Programs

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement Category of Funding Activity: Information and Statistics

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 3

CFDA Number(s): 16.734 -- Special Data Collections and

Statistical Studies

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Apr 17, 2015
Apr 17, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:
Jun 16, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:
Archive Date:
Jul 16, 2015
Stimated Total Program Funding:
\$150,000

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Agency Name: Description:

Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:

Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Eligible applicants are individuals who have a nationally recognized research portfolio and considerable expertise in their area of proposed research. They should be willing to commit a substantial portion of their time over at least a 12-month period to undertake analyses of BJS data or statistical programs and produce at least one publishable-quality report summarizing their analysis.

Bureau of Justice Statistics

The Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS) is publishing this notice to announce that it is seeking applications for funding for one or more BJS Visiting Fellows to work in its Criminal Justice Statistics Program. The purpose of this program is to address substantive, methodological, and analytic issues to enhance or inform BJS statistical programs; support the scholarly use of BJS data collections; and expand the body of policy-relevant research that uses these data to further knowledge about and understanding of the operation of the criminal justice system. BJS's Visiting Fellows Program

(www.bjs.gov/content/fellows.cfm) aims to facilitate collaboration between academic scholars and government researchers in survey methodology, statistics, economics, and social sciences. BJS Visiting Fellows have the unique opportunity to address substantive, methodological, and analytic issues relevant to BJS programs and to further knowledge about and understanding of the operation of the criminal justice system. Fellows may conduct research at BJS or at their home site, use BJS data and facilities, and interact with BJS staff. Fellowship applicants should have a recognized research record or considerable expertise in their area of proposed research. Applicants must submit a detailed research proposal, which will be evaluated on the applicability of the research to BJS programs, the value of the proposed research to science, and the quality of the applicant's research record. Qualified women and members of minority groups are encouraged to apply.

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Office of Justice Programs

Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention

OJJDP FY 2015 Second Chance Act Smart on Juvenile Justice: Community Supervision Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:OJJDP-2015-4121

Funding Opportunity Title: OJJDP FY 2015 Second Chance Act Smart

on Juvenile Justice: Community Supervision

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 10

CFDA Number(s): 16.812 -- Second Chance Act Reentry

Initiative

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Apr 29, 2015
Apr 29, 2015
Apr 29, 2015
Apr 29, 2015
Jun 15, 2015
Archive Date:
Jun 15, 2015
Jul 15, 2015
Jul 15, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$100,000

Eligible Applicants: Native American tribal governments

(Federally recognized) County governments

City or township governments

State governments

Agency Name: Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency

Prevention

Description: As many as 100,000 youth younger than 18

years old are released from juvenile correctional facilities every year. These young people often return to their

communities with complex needs, such as physical and behavioral health issues and barriers to education and employment. This grant program will provide planning grants to state and local government agencies and

federally recognized Native

American/Alaskan Native tribes to support their efforts to develop and finalize a comprehensive juvenile community supervision reform strategic plan that will implement evidence-based supervision strategies to reduce recidivism and improve outcomes for juveniles under community supervision. When grantees complete their

strategic plan, OJJDP expects to invite them to submit applications through a competitive process for implementation grants of as much as \$650,000 to implement their plans. Future funding decisions for implementation grants will be competitive and will consider the quality and comprehensiveness of the strategic plan and associated solicitation deliverables.

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may assist applicants are posted at

http://www.ojjdp.gov/grants/solicitations/FY 2015/FAQ/CommunitySupervisonsFAQ.pdf.

email

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276236

Office of Justice Programs Bureau of Justice Assistance

BJA FY 15 Body-Worn Camera Pilot Implementation Program Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number: BJA-2015-4168

Funding Opportunity Title: BJA FY 15 Body-Worn Camera Pilot

Implementation Program

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Law, Justice and Legal Services **Category of Funding Activity:**

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 16.738 -- Edward Byrne Memorial Justice

Assistance Grant Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

Posted Date: May 1, 2015 May 1, 2015 **Creation Date: Original Closing Date for Applications:** Jun 16, 2105 **Current Closing Date for Applications:** Jun 16, 2105

Archive Date: Jul 16, 2105 **Estimated Total Program Funding:**

Award Ceiling: Eligible Applicants:

\$2,000,000

City or township governments

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) For profit organizations other than small

businesses

Private institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the

IRS, other than institutions of higher

education

Native American tribal governments

(Federally recognized) County governments

Public and State controlled institutions of

higher education

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible applicants, for categories 1 through 4, are limited to units of local government and federally recognized Indian tribes that perform law enforcement functions, as determined by the Secretary of the Interior; or any department, agency, or instrumentality of the foregoing that performs criminal justice functions (including combinations of the preceding, one of which is designated as the primary applicant); and, for Category 5 only, national and regional public and private entities, including for-profit (commercial) and nonprofit organizations (including tribal nonprofit or for-profit organizations), faithbased and community organizations, and

support initiatives to improve the functioning of the criminal justice system. For-profit organizations must agree to forgo

institutions of higher education (including tribal institutions of higher education) that

any profit or management fee.

Bureau of Justice Assistance

Law enforcement agencies across the country and worldwide are using body-worn cameras (BWCs) as a promising tool to improve law enforcement interactions with the public. BWCs can provide a visual and audio record of interactions. Some preliminary evidence indicates that the presence of BWCs helps strengthen accountability and transparency, and can assist in de- escalating conflicts, resulting in more constructive encounters between the police and members of the community. This competitive solicitation is for law enforcement agencies seeking to establish or enhance BWC Policy and Implementation Programs (PIP). Successful applicants will

Agency Name: Description:

be responsible for a mandatory 50 percent

in-kind or cash match.
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Technical Assistance

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Office of Justice Programs
Office for Victims of Crime

OVC FY 15 Supporting Male Survivors of Violence

Modification 1

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number: OVC-2015-4255

Funding Opportunity Title: OVC FY 15 Supporting Male Survivors of

Violence

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Income Security and Social Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 16.582 -- Crime Victim

Assistance/Discretionary Grants

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: May 1, 2015
Creation Date: May 1, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications: Jun 17, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications: Jun 17, 2015
Archive Date: Jul 17, 2015
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$14,000,000
Award Ceiling: \$1,000,000

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional

Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Purpose Area #1: Eligible applicants for the

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Purpose Area #1: Eligible applicants for the demonstration project are limited to: state and local agencies; federally recognized tribal governments (as determined by the Secretary of the Interior; private nonprofit organizations); faith-based and community-

based organizations; and colleges or universities (including tribal institutions of higher education) that demonstrate an

Agency Name: Description:

understanding of the area of victimization and support services described in the solicitation. Applicants must have the staff resources and capacity to develop or enhance programs proposed to address the area of victimization described in the solicitation. Purpose Area #2: Eligible applicants for funding to provide technical assistance to the demonstration projects are private nonprofit organizations, colleges and universities or public agencies (including tribal nonprofit organizations and tribal institutions of higher learning). Applicants must have: (1) demonstrated experience and understanding of the range of crime victims' needs and (2) the ability to forge partnerships to represent that range of assistance. A private nonprofit organization does not have to have 501(c)(3) status to apply for grant funding under this solicitation. Eligible applicants may apply to either the demonstration project OR technical assistance project, but not both. Applicants that apply for both projects will not be considered. Applications in either purpose area that involve two or more entities are welcome; however, one eligible entity must be the applicant and the others proposed as sub-recipients. The applicant must be the entity with primary responsibility for administering the funding and managing the entire program. Only one application per lead applicant will be considered; however, subrecipients may be part of multiple proposals. OVC may elect to make awards for applications submitted under this solicitation both in the current and future fiscal years, dependent on the merit of the applications and the availability of appropriations. For additional eligibility information, see Section C. Eligibility Information.

Office for Victims of Crime
OVC will make several awards of up to
\$1,000,000 each to improve responses to
male survivors of violence, particularly boys
and young men of color, and their families,
and to dedicate technical assistance to
support these efforts. Under Program Area 1,
OVC will make 8 to 12 awards to fund
demonstration sites to establish evidencebased models and practices to provide
trauma-informed, comprehensive services
for male survivors of violence and their
families, and supporting policies. Under

Purpose Area 2, OVC will fund up to two distinct technical assistance providers to support the demonstration site. This project will be undertaken in association with the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. Those applying are urged to begin in advance of the June 17, 2015,

deadline.

OVC Funding Opportunity Link to Additional Information:

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For assistance with the requirements of this solicitation, contact Sharron Fletcher, Lead Victim Justice Specialist, by telephone at

202-305-2358.

For Programmatic Issues

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276294

Office of Justice Programs National Institute of Justice

NIJ FY 15 Comprehensive School Safety Initiative Grant

Grants Notice Document Type: Funding Opportunity Number: NIJ-2015-4163

Funding Opportunity Title: NIJ FY 15 Comprehensive School Safety Initiative

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Cooperative Agreement **Funding Instrument Type:**

Law, Justice and Legal Services **Category of Funding Activity:**

Category Explanation:

Award Floor:

Expected Number of Awards: 36

CFDA Number(s): 16.560 -- National Institute of Justice Research,

Evaluation, and Development Project Grants

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: Apr 2, 2015 Apr 2, 2015 **Creation Date: Original Closing Date for Applications:** Jun 12, 2015 **Current Closing Date for Applications:** Jun 12, 2015 Jul 12, 2015 **Archive Date: Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$65,000,000 **Award Ceiling:** \$1,800,000

\$1,000 **Eligible Applicants:** For profit organizations other than small businesses

Individuals

State governments

City or township governments

Native American tribal organizations (other than

Federally recognized tribal governments)

Public and State controlled institutions of higher

education

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other

than institutions of higher education

County governments

Independent school districts

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the

IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities

Small businesses

Private institutions of higher education

Special district governments

Native American tribal governments (Federally

recognized)

Agency Name:National Institute of Justice **Description:**NIJ is seeking proposals for

NIJ is seeking proposals for funding under the Comprehensive School Safety Initiative (CSSI) to support rigorous research that produces practical knowledge that can improve the safety of schools and students. The initiative is carried out through partnerships between researchers, educators and other stakeholders, including law enforcement and mental health professionals. Projects funded under the CSSI are designed to produce knowledge that can be applied to schools and school districts across the nation for years to come. This solicitation includes the following four funding categories, each with different expectations and requirements, to accomplish the purposes of the CSSI. • Category 1: Developing Knowledge About What Works

to Make Schools Safe. • Category 2: Causes and

Consequences of School Violence. • Category 3: Shorter Term Studies on School Safety. • Category 4: Developing

and Evaluating a Comprehensive School Safety

Framework.

Link to Additional Information: <u>Full Solicitation</u>

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General information

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=275630



Department of Labor

Contact Information:

Agency Grants and Contract General Overview

Department of Labor Grant Programs

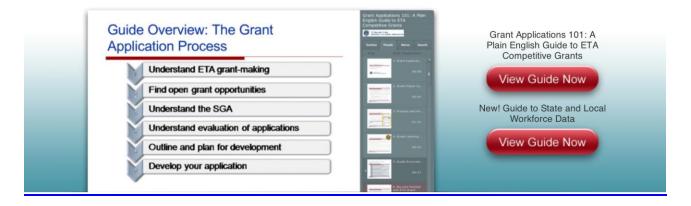
- **Bureau of International Labor Affairs (ILAB)**: provides grants (cooperative agreements) for the implementation of projects designed to assist developing countries combat the worse forms of child labor, forced labor, and human trafficking; and support worker rights and improve working conditions. Solicitations for grant applications are announced on www.grants.gov/ and at www.dol.gov/ILAB/grants/main.htm. ILAB grants are awarded by the OASAM grant office.
- **Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS):** provides project grants (cooperative agreements) and the dissemination of technical statistical data and related information on labor force activities; provides data on prices (CPI) and cost of living; data on productivity and technology data; data on compensation and working conditions; data on employment projections.
- Employment and Training (ETA): ETA administers financial assistance programs pursuant to the Workforce Investment Act (WIA), administering State formula grant programs for youth, adults and dislocated workers, national emergency grants for workers affected by mass layoffs, plant closures, and disasters; grant programs for workers with disabilities, Indians and Native Americans, and for migrant and seasonal farmworkers. ETA also administers grant programs for older American workers, apprenticeship programs, Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) programs, and assistance for research and development of workforce programs. In addition, ETA is responsible for the operation and maintenance of a national system of public employment service offices and for the national unemployment insurance program.
- Mine Safety and Health (MSHA): provides grants for research, education and training programs to ensure an adequate and competent staff of trained inspectors; and assistance for establishing or improving State mine health and safety programs through technical assistance.
- Occupational Safety and Health (OSHA): provides grants to non-profit organizations to provide training, educational services, and technical assistance; assistance to states to administer and enforce state programs; assistance to states to provide occupational safety and health technical assistance and consultant services.
- Office of Disability Employment Policy (ODEP): The Office of Disability Employment Policy awards competitive grants establishing short-term pilot and technical assistance projects designed to identify, develop, test, evaluate, and disseminate policies to increase employment by expanding access to training, education, employment supports, assistive and systems technology, integrated employment, entrepreneurial development, and small business opportunities for adults and youth with disabilities. Current pilots projects focus on customized employment, Olmstead populations, and innovative demonstration youth grants, among others. Solicitations for grant applications are published in the Federal Register and announced at www.dol.gov/odep. ODEP grants are awarded by the OASAM grant office.
- Veterans' Employment and Training (VETS): provides special employment and training
 assistance for veterans through the <u>Disabled Veterans' Outreach Program (DVOP) Solicitation
 for Grant Applications</u>; the <u>Local Veterans' Employment Representative Program (LVER)</u>;
 Veterans' Workforce Investment Program (VWIP); elaws Advisor on veterans' employment and
 reemployment rights; and the <u>Homeless Veterans Reintegration Project (HVRP)</u>. VETS grants
 are awarded by the <u>OASAM grant office</u>.



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Programs

Reminders

Employment and Training Administration
Disability Employment Initiative – Round VI Grant
And Modification 2

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number:FOA-ETA-15-08

Funding Opportunity Title: Disability Employment Initiative – Round

VI

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Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Employment, Labor and Training

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 17.207 -- Employment Service/Wagner-

Peyser Funded Activities

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: Apr 13, 2015 Creation Date: Apr 29, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications: Jun 11, 2015 Applications must be received

no later than 4:00:00 p.m. Eastern Time. Jun 11, 2015 Applications must be received

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jun 11, 2015 Applications must be rece no later than 4:00:00 p.m. Eastern Time.

Archive Date: Jul 11, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$15,000,000 **Award Ceiling:** \$2,500,000

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility: The lead applicant must be the state

workforce agency (SWA) that is eligible for

funding under Title I of WIOA or for funding under the W-P Act. The SWA and its Local Workforce Development Board(s) (LWDB), identified as a required partner for this grant, must be involved in existing

this grant, must be involved in existing career pathways systems, programs, and partnerships. Applicants may also include entities receiving funds under WIA Section 166 grants. An eligible applicant is a tribe, tribal consortium, or tribal non-profit organization that receives funds under WIOA Section 166 Indian and Native

American Program. States that received DEI Round V funds are not eligible for funding

under this FOA.

Employment and Training Administration

The Employment and Training

Administration (ETA), U.S. Department of Labor (DOL, or the Department, or we), announces the availability of approximately \$15 million in grant funds authorized by Section 169, subsection (b), of the

Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act

Agency Name: Description:

(WIOA). We expect to fund approximately 8 cooperative agreements to state workforce agencies, ranging from \$1.5 million to \$2.5 million each. Applicants may apply for up to \$2.5 million. This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) builds upon the DEI that the Department has funded since 2010. Through this FOA, the Department plans to support the development of job-driven, innovative, integrated, flexible, and universally-designed service delivery strategies in existing career pathways systems and programs. The Department believes that such development will increase the participation of individuals with disabilities in career pathways systems and programs. Since 2010, the Department has awarded over \$95 million through the DEI to 37 state workforce agencies (WIAadministering entities) in 26 states under the DEI to improve the education, training, and employment outcomes of youth and adults with disabilities by refining and expanding already identified successful workforce strategies. Starting in 2014, DOL required Round V DEI grantees to increase the participation of youth and adults with disabilities in existing career pathway systems and programs implemented in the AJCs. DOL awarded six Round V DEI grants in California, Illinois, Kansas, Massachusetts, Minnesota, and South Dakota.

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Employment and Training Administration Bureau of International Labor Affairs

Project to Promote Ratification and Implementation of the 2014 ILO Protocol and Recommendation on Forced Labor Grant

Document Type:Grants Notice **Funding Opportunity Number:**ILAB-NOI-15-02

Funding Opportunity Title: Project to Promote Ratification and

Implementation of the 2014 ILO Protocol and Recommendation on Forced Labor

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Category of Funding Activity:

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s):

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:

Posted Date: Creation Date:

Original Closing Date for Applications:

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Archive Date:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: Eligible Applicants:

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Agency Name: Description:

Cooperative Agreement

Other (see text field entitled "Explanation of Other Category of Funding Activity" for

clarification)

This is a Notice of Intent (NOI) and not a

request for funding applications.

17.401 -- International Labor Programs

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May 4, 2015 May 4, 2015

This is a Notice of Intent (NOI) and not a

request for funding applications.

This is a Notice of Intent (NOI) and not a

request for funding applications.

May 17, 2015 \$9,000,000 \$9,000,000

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) This Notice of Intent (NOI) is not a request for applications. This announcement is to provide public notice of the Department of Labor's (DOL) intention to fund the following project activities without full and open competition.

Bureau of International Labor Affairs
This is a Notice of Intent only. The U.S.
Department of Labor (USDOL), Bureau of
International Labor Affairs (ILAB), intends
to provide funding for a Cooperative
Agreement with the International Labour
Organization (ILO) for a project to support

global and national efforts aimed at combating forced labor under the 2014 ILO

Protocol and Recommendation on Forced Labor. The project will: (1) promote the ratification and implementation of the Protocol and implementation of the

Recommendation by countries by providing technical assistance to governments and other key stakeholders, (2) support

interventions at the global and country-level to advance the campaign to eradicate forced

labor, including addressing gaps in legislation, awareness raising campaigns, supply chain monitoring, law enforcement

training, best practices on compensation and other remedies, research studies and surveys, and (3) develop and implement direct action measures to prevent forced labor, to protect victims, and to provide them with access to remediation, including compensation for

material and physical harm. ILAB is authorized to award and administer grants

and cooperative agreements by the Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2015, Pub. Law 113-225 (2015)

235 (2015).

Link to Additional Information: Contact Information: <u>ILAB's website</u>
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Mr. Dorjan Chaney, Grant Management

Specialist

chaney.dorjan@dol.gov

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276328



National Aeronautics and Space Administration

Research and Contracting Opportunities

NASA Research Opportunities Online

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announcements along with their specific due dates.

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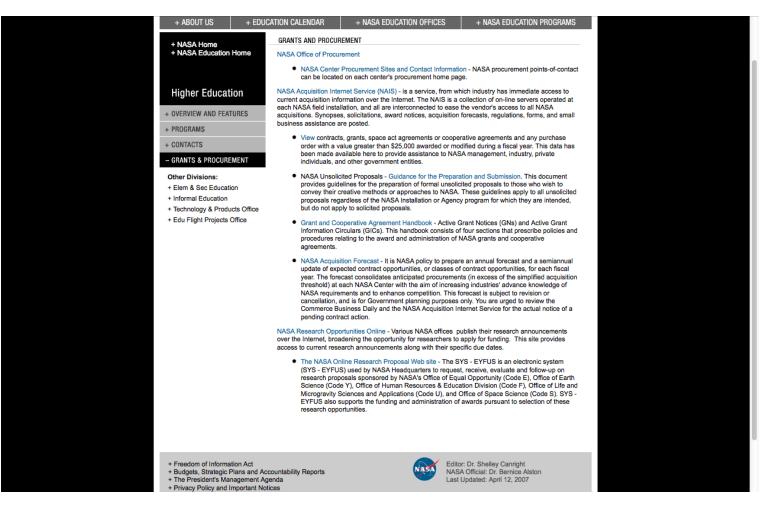


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Programs

NASA Headquarters

Early Stage Innovations (ESI) Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276729

NASA Headquarters

ROSES 2015: Heliophysics Technology and Instrument Development for Science Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276417

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ROSES 2015: Citizen science Asteroid Data, Education, and Tools Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276418

NASA Headquarters

ROSES 2015: Solar System Workings Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276587

NASA Headquarters

Space Technology Announcement Of Collaborative Opportunity {ACO} Utilizing Public-Private Partnerships To Advance Emerging Space Technology System Capabilities Grant http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276588

NASA Headquarters

ROSES 2015: New (Early Career) Investigator Program in Earth Science Grant http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276576

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NASA Johnson Space Center

Human Exploration Research Opportunities NASA Research Announcement Modification 3

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=259312

NASA Johnson Space Center

Human Exploration Research Opportunities NASA Research Announcement Modification 4

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=259312

National Archives and Records Administration

Grant Opportunities General Overview

To access the information below: click here

National Historical Publications & Records Commission Home > NHPRC > Grant Opportunities **Grant Program Grant Opportunities Application Instructions FAQs** What We Do/Do Not Fund NHPRC grant recipients are asked to download and use our logo in public materials to acknowledge Federal support for documenting democracy. Download our Logo Learn why **Democracy Starts**

Grant Opportunities

Listed are our current grant categories. If the deadline has passed, the announcement is being revised and will appear at least 90 days before the new deadline.

Documenting Democracy: Access to Historical Records

The National Historical Publications and Records Commission seeks proposals that promote the preservation and use of the nation's most valuable archival resources. Projects should expand our understanding of the American past by facilitating and enhancing access to primary source materials.

Final Deadline: October 3, 2013

Digitizing Historical Records

The National Historical Publications and Records Commission seeks proposals that use cost-effective methods to digitize nationally significant historical record collections and make the digital versions freely available online.

Final Deadline: June 11, 2013

Electronic Records Projects

The National Historical Publications and Records Commission seeks proposals that will increase the capacity of archivists and archival repositories to create electronic records archives that preserve records of enduring historical value.

Final Deadline: June 11, 2013

Innovation in Archives and Documentary Editing

The National Historical Publications and Records Commission seeks projects that are exploring innovative methods to improve the

Questions?

- Contact the NHPRC
- E-mail: nhprc@nara.gov*
- Telephone: 202-357-5010
- Fax: 202-357-5914
- * Please see our Privacy Statement

Consult the Help Section

- Frequently Asked Questions
- Sample Projects
- DUNS Number Requirement

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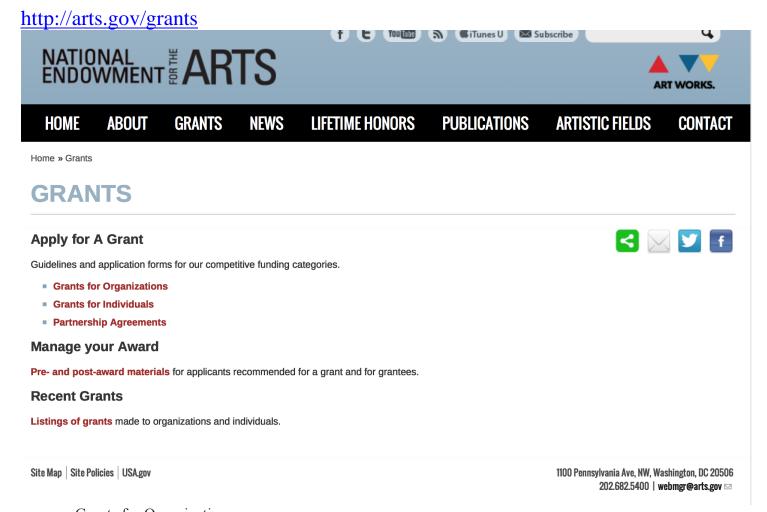
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- How to Prepare Your **Project Budget**
- · How to Prepare and **Submit Attachments**

National Endowment for the Arts

Agency Grant Overview - http://nea.gov/grants/apply/index.html

For an overview of the NEA's funding opportunities, please see the **NEA Grants Workshop** presentation.

The series of **Arts Works guidelines webinars** for each discipline has now concluded. All of **the sessions are archived** on our YouTube channel.



Grants for Organizations

We fund projects only. Projects may consist of one or more specific events or activities. Projects do not have to be new. Excellent existing projects can be just as competitive as new activities. Projects do not need to be big either; we welcome small projects that can make a difference in their community or field.

Art Works

To support the creation of art that meets the highest standards of excellence, public engagement with diverse and excellent art, lifelong learning in the arts, and the strengthening of communities through the arts.

Matching grants generally range from \$10,000 to \$100,000.

Deadline: February 19, 2015 Notification: November 2015 Earliest Start Date: January 1, 2016 Deadline: July 23, 2015 Notification: April 2016

Earliest Start Date: June 1, 2016

Challenge America

To support projects that extend the reach of the arts to underserved populations. Matching grants are for

\$10,000.

Deadline: April 16, 2015 Notification: December 2015

Earliest Start Date: January 1, 2016

Our Town

Organizations may apply for creative placemaking projects that contribute to the livability of communities and place the arts at their core. Our Town offers support for projects in two areas:

- Arts Engagement, Cultural Planning, and Design Projects that represent the distinct character and quality of their communities. Matching grants range from \$25,000 to \$200,000.
- Projects that Build Knowledge About Creative Placemaking. Matching grants range from \$25,000 to \$100,000.

Deadline: December 15, 2014 Notification: July 2015 Earliest Start Date: October 1, 2015

Research: Art Works

New guidelines will be available in August.

See more at: http://arts.gov/grants/apply-grant/grants-organizations-sthash.EquFoUvs.yLCIsZHu.dpuf

Programs:

NEA Our Town Technical Assistance Program Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice **Funding Opportunity Number:** NEAPS1501

Funding Opportunity Title: NEA Our Town Technical Assistance

Program

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 45.024 -- Promotion of the Arts Grants to

Organizations and Individuals

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: May 21, 2015 **Creation Date:** May 21, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications: Jul 21, 2015 The Grants.gov system must

receive your validated and accepted

application no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern

Time, on July 21, 2015. We strongly

recommend that you submit at least 10 days in advance of the deadline to give yourself ample time to resolve any problems that you

Current Closing Date for Applications:

might encounter. The Arts Endowment will not accept late applications.

Jul 21, 2015 The Grants.gov system must receive your validated and accepted

application no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern

Time, on July 21, 2015. We strongly

recommend that you submit at least 10 days in advance of the deadline to give yourself ample time to resolve any problems that you might encounter. The Arts Endowment will not accept late applications.

Aug 20, 2015

Archive Date:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: Award Floor: Eligible Applicants: \$500,000 \$500,000

County governments

Special district governments

Native American tribal governments

(Federally recognized)

Private institutions of higher education Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the

IRS, other than institutions of higher

education

City or township governments

Public and State controlled institutions of

higher education

Independent school districts

State governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

This Cooperative Agreement will begin no earlier than February 1, 2016, and end on January 30, 2018. Applicant Eligibility Nonprofit, tax-exempt 501(c)(3), U.S. organizations; units of state or local government; or federally recognized tribal communities or tribes may apply. To be eligible, the applicant organization must: • Meet the Arts Endowment's "Legal

Requirements" at the time of application. • Have submitted acceptable Final Report packages by the due date(s) for all Arts Endowment award(s) previously received. An organization may submit only one proposal under this program solicitation. You may apply to other Arts Endowment funding opportunities, including Art Works and Our Town, in addition to this program solicitation. In each case, the request must be

for a distinctly different project. National Endowment for the Arts

This Cooperative Agreement will begin no earlier than February 1, 2016, and end on January 30, 2018. Scope of Work The purpose of this Program Solicitation is to select an organization (Cooperator) to implement the Our Town Technical

Agency Name: Description:

Assistance Pilot Program activities as described below. In brief, the Cooperator will: □ Plan, coordinate, and implement a technical assistance program serving select Our Town grantees that will both assist these organizations in effectively executing their creative placemaking activities and educate the Arts Endowment in its understanding of the creative placemaking field. Projects must include these components: 1. Short-term, targeted technical assistance consultancies with selected organizations. 2. A barriers analysis across the selected organizations to identify impediments to successful creative placemaking. 3. Development and

dissemination of project resource materials for participating organizations as well as other practitioners and general audiences. \Box Present recommendations on the desirability and viability of a future technical assistance

program for all Our Town grantees,

including a cost analysis that ramps up from 50 to 200 grantees throughout the country.

Link to Additional Information: NEA Web Site Posting

If you have difficulty accessing the full **Contact Information:**

announcement electronically, please contact:

NEA Web Manager NEA Web Site Posting

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276730

NEA Our Town, FY2016 Grant

Grants Notice Document Type: 2015NEA01OT2 **Funding Opportunity Number:**

Funding Opportunity Title: NEA Our Town, FY2016

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 45.024 -- Promotion of the Arts Grants to

Organizations and Individuals

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

Posted Date: May 21, 2015 May 21, 2015 **Creation Date:**

Original Closing Date for Applications: Sep 21, 2015 The Grants.gov system must

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application no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern

Time, on September 21, 2015.

Sep 21, 2015 The Grants.gov system must **Current Closing Date for Applications:**

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application no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern

Archive Date:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: Award Floor:

Eligible Applicants:

Time, on September 21, 2015. Oct 21, 2015

\$200,000 \$25,000

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the

IRS, other than institutions of higher

education

State governments

Independent school districts

Native American tribal governments

(Federally recognized)
Special district governments

Public and State controlled institutions of

higher education

Private institutions of higher education

County governments

City or township governments

The Arts Endowment's support of a project may start on August 1, 2016, or any time thereafter. A grant period of up to two years is allowed. OUR TOWN: Applicant Eligibility All applications require partnerships that involve at least two primary partners: a nonprofit organization and a local governmental entity, as defined by these guidelines. One of the two primary

by these guidelines. One of the two primary partners must be a cultural (arts or design) organization. Additional partners are encouraged. One of the two primary partners must act as the official applicant (lead applicant). This lead applicant must meet the

eligibility requirements, submit the application, and assume full responsibility

for the grant.

National Endowment for the Arts

The Arts Endowment's support of a project may start on August 1, 2016, or any time thereafter. A grant period of up to two years is allowed. OUR TOWN: Grant Program Description The Our Town grant program supports creative placemaking projects that help to transform communities into lively, beautiful, and resilient places with the arts at their core. Creative placemaking is when artists, arts organizations, and community development practitioners deliberately integrate arts and culture into community revitalization work - placing arts at the table with land-use, transportation, economic development, education, housing, infrastructure, and public safety strategies. This funding supports local efforts to enhance quality of life and opportunity for existing residents, increase creative activity,

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Agency Name: Description:

and create a distinct sense of place. Through Our Town, subject to the availability of funding, the National Endowment for the Arts will provide a limited number of grants for creative placemaking projects. Our Town

requires partnerships between arts organizations and government, other nonprofit organizations, and private entities to achieve livability goals for communities. Click on the type of project to see the requirements for partnerships: Arts

Engagement, Cultural Planning, and Design

Projects LINK or Projects that Build Knowledge About Creative Placemaking

LINK.

Link to Additional Information:

NEA Web Site Posting

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Modifications:

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NEA GAP FY2016 Art Works II Applications Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number: 2015NEA01AW2

Funding Opportunity Title: NEA GAP FY2016 Art Works II

Applications Discretionary

Opportunity Category: Discretic

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 45.024 -- Promotion of the Arts Grants to

Organizations and Individuals

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

Posted Date: Apr 30, 2015 Creation Date: Apr 30, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications: Jul 23, 2015 "The Grants.gov system must

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Time, on July 23, 2015."

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jul 23, 2015 "The Grants.gov system must

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application no later than 11:59 p.m., Eastern

Time, on July 23, 2015."

Archive Date: Aug 22, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$100,000

Award Floor: Eligible Applicants: \$10,000

County governments

Private institutions of higher education

Independent school districts City or township governments Special district governments

Public and State controlled institutions of

higher education

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the

IRS, other than institutions of higher

education

Native American tribal governments

An organization may submit only one

(Federally recognized)
State governments

Additional Information on Eligibility:

application through one of the following FY 2016 categories: Art Works or Challenge America. The Arts Endowment's support of the project may start on or after June 1, 2016. Generally, a period of performance of up to two years is allowed. ART WORKS: Applicant Eligibility Nonprofit, tax-exempt 501(c)(3), U.S. organizations; units of state or local government; or federally recognized tribal communities or tribes may apply. Applicants may be arts organizations, local arts agencies, arts service organizations, local education agencies (school districts), and other organizations that can help advance the goals of the Arts Endowment. To be eligible, the applicant organization must: • Meet the Arts Endowment's "Legal Requirements" including nonprofit, taxexempt status at the time of application. (All organizations must apply directly on their own behalf. Applications through a fiscal sponsor are not allowed. See more information on fiscal sponsors.) • Have a three-year history of programming prior to the application deadline. • Have submitted acceptable Final Report packages by the due date(s) for all Arts Endowment grant(s) previously received. An organization whose primary purpose is to channel resources (financial, human, or other) to an affiliated organization is not eligible to apply if the affiliated organization submits its own application. This prohibition applies even if each organization has its own 501(c)(3) status. For example, the "Friends of ABC Museum" may not apply if the ABC Museum applies. National Endowment for the Arts

An organization may submit only one

application through one of the following FY

Agency Name: Description:

2016 categories: Art Works or Challenge America. The Arts Endowment's support of the project may start on or after June 1, 2016. Generally, a period of performance of up to two years is allowed. Grant Program Description The guiding principle of "Art Works" is at the center of everything we do at the NEA. "Art Works" refers to three things: the works of art themselves, the ways art works on audiences, and the fact that art is work for the artists and arts professionals who make up the field. Art works by enhancing the value of individuals and communities, by connecting us to each other and to something greater than ourselves, and by empowering creativity and innovation in our society and economy. The arts exist for beauty itself, but they also are an inexhaustible source of meaning and inspiration. The NEA recognizes these catalytic effects of excellent art, and the key role that arts and design organizations play in revitalizing them. To deepen and extend the arts' value, including their ability to foster new connections and to exemplify creativity and innovation, we welcome projects that: • Are likely to prove transformative with the potential for meaningful change, whether in the development or enhancement of new or existing art forms, new approaches to the creation or presentation of art, or new ways of engaging the public with art; • Are distinctive, offering fresh insights and new value for their fields and/or the public through unconventional solutions; and • Have the potential to be shared and/or emulated, or are likely to lead to other advances in the field. Beyond encouraging projects that demonstrate these characteristics, we want to achieve the following four objectives through the Art Works category: • Creation: The creation of art that meets the highest standards of excellence, • Engagement: Public engagement with diverse and excellent art, • Learning: Lifelong learning in the arts, and • Livability: The strengthening of communities through the arts. **NEA Complete Announcement** If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

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NEA Web Manager NEA Web Manager

National Endowment for the Humanities

Grant Overview -

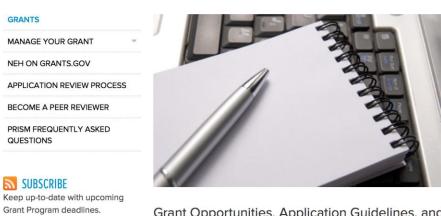




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http://www.neh.gov/grants/grantsbydivision.html

Programs:

Humanities Collections and Reference Resources Grant

Grants Notice Document Type: Funding Opportunity Number: 20150721-PW

Funding Opportunity Title: Humanities Collections and Reference

Resources

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in

CFDA)

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 45.149 -- Promotion of the Humanities

Division of Preservation and Access

No **Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

Posted Date: May 7, 2015 May 7, 2015 **Creation Date:** Jul 21, 2015 **Original Closing Date for Applications: Current Closing Date for Applications:** Jul 21, 2015

Archive Date:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$350,000 Award Floor:

Eligible Applicants: Public and State controlled institutions of

higher education

City or township governments Special district governments

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the

IRS, other than institutions of higher

education

County governments

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of

higher education

Private institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments

(Federally recognized) State governments

National Endowment for the Humanities **Agency Name: Description:** The Humanities Collections and Reference Resources (HCRR) program supports

projects that provide an essential

underpinning for scholarship, education, and public programming in the humanities.

Thousands of libraries, archives, museums, and historical organizations across the country maintain important collections of books and manuscripts, photographs, sound

recordings and moving images,

archaeological and ethnographic artifacts, art and material culture, and digital objects. Funding from this program strengthens efforts to extend the life of such materials and make their intellectual content widely accessible, often through the use of digital

technology. Awards are also made to create various reference resources that facilitate use of cultural materials, from works that provide basic information quickly to tools that synthesize and codify knowledge of a subject for in-depth investigation. HCRR

offers two kinds of awards: 1) for implementation and 2) for planning, assessment, and pilot efforts (HCRR

Foundations grants).

Link to Additional Information: http://www.neh.gov/grants/preservation/hum

anities-collections-and-reference-resources

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full

announcement electronically, please contact:

Humanities Collections and Reference Resources Division of Preservation and Access National Endowment for the Humanities 400 Seventh Street, SW

Washington, DC 20506 preservation@neh.gov preservation@neh.gov preservation@neh.gov

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276411

Summer Stipends Grant

Grants Notice Document Type: Funding Opportunity Number: 20151001-FT **Funding Opportunity Title: Summer Stipends Opportunity Category:** Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in

CFDA)

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 45.160 -- Promotion of the Humanities

Fellowships and Stipends

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: May 7, 2015 **Creation Date:** May 7, 2015 Oct 1, 2015 **Original Closing Date for Applications: Current Closing Date for Applications:** Oct 1, 2015

Archive Date:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

\$6,000 **Award Ceiling: Award Floor:** \$6,000

Others (see text field entitled "Additional **Eligible Applicants:**

Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Only individuals are eligible to apply. **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

> Individuals teaching full-time at colleges and universities must be nominated by their institutions to be eligible to apply.

Agency Name:National Endowment for the Humanities **Description:**Summer Stipends support individuals

pursuing advanced research that is of value to humanities scholars, general audiences, or both. Recipients usually produce articles, monographs, books, digital materials, archaeological site reports, translations, editions, or other scholarly resources. Summer Stipends support continuous full-time work on a humanities project for a period of two consecutive months. Summer Stipends support projects at any stage of development. Summer Stipends are awarded

to individual scholars. Organizations are not

eligible to apply.

Link to Additional Information: http://www.neh.gov/grants/research/summer

-stipends

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full

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Division of Research National Endowment for the Humanities 400 Seventh Street, SW Washington, D.C. 20506 202-606-8200 stipends@neh.gov stipends@neh.gov

stipends@neh.gov

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276413

Modifications:

Reminders:

Common Heritage Grant

Document Type:Grants NoticeFunding Opportunity Number:20150625-PYFunding Opportunity Title:Common HeritageOpportunity Category:Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in

CFDA)

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 45.149 -- Promotion of the Humanities

Division of Preservation and Access

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:Apr 16, 2015Creation Date:Apr 16, 2015Original Closing Date for Applications:Jun 25, 2015Current Closing Date for Applications:Jun 25, 2015

Archive Date:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$12,000 Award Floor: \$1

Eligible Applicants:

Agency Name: Description:

County governments Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) State governments Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3)status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education City or township governments Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of higher education Special district governments Private institutions of higher education National Endowment for the Humanities America's cultural heritage is preserved not only in libraries, museums, archives, and other community organizations, but also in all of our homes, family histories, and life stories. The Common Heritage program aims to capture this vitally important part of our country's heritage and preserve it for future generations. Common Heritage will support both the digitization of cultural heritage materials and the organization of public programming at community events that explore these materials as a window on a community's history and culture. The Common Heritage program recognizes that members of the public—in partnership with libraries, museums, archives, and historical organizations—have much to contribute to the understanding of our cultural mosaic. Together, such institutions and the public can be effective partners in the appreciation and stewardship of our common heritage. The program supports day-long events organized by community cultural institutions, which members of the public will be invited to attend. At these events experienced staff will digitize the community historical materials brought in by the public. Project staff will also record descriptive information—provided by community attendees—about the historical materials. Contributors will be given a free digital copy of their items to take home. along with the original materials. With the owner's permission, digital copies of these materials would be included in the institutions' collections. Historical photographs, artifacts, documents, family letters, art works, and audiovisual recordings are among the many items eligible for

Link to Additional Information:

Contact Information:

digitization and public commemoration. Projects must also present public programming that would expand knowledge of the community's history. Public programs could include lectures, panels, reading and discussion, special gallery tours, screening and discussion of relevant films, presentations by a historian, special initiatives for families and children, or comments by curators about items brought in by the public. These public programs should provide a framework for a deeper understanding of the community members' shared or divergent histories. The programs may take place before, during, and/or after the day of the digitization event. Applicants may but need not include in their proposals a topic around which the event and the public programming would be organized. Topics proposed for the public programming may also be proposed for the digitization event. The applicant institution must plan, promote, and organize the event and ensure that a wide range of historical materials can be digitized and also contextualized through public programming. Since the help of additional institutions and organizations in the community may be needed to accomplish this work, the applicant must take responsibility for enlisting appropriate organizations or institutions, such as local libraries and museums, to contribute to the project, as needed. NEH especially welcomes applications from small and medium-sized institutions that have not previously received NEH support. http://www.neh.gov/grants/preservation/com

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Common Heritage National Endowment for the Humanities 400 Seventh Street, SW Washington, DC 20506 202-606-8570 or preservation@neh.gov (for questions about digitization) 202-606-8269 or publicpgms@neh.gov (for questions about public programming) preservation@neh.gov preservation@neh.gov

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=275921

Document Type: Grants Notice **Funding Opportunity Number:** 20150610-MD

Funding Opportunity Title: Digital Projects for the Public

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in

CFDA)

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 45.164 -- Promotion of the Humanities

Public Programs

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:Apr 9, 2015Creation Date:Apr 9, 2015Original Closing Date for Applications:Jun 10, 2015Current Closing Date for Applications:Jun 10, 2015

Archive Date:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$400,000 **Award Floor:** \$1

Eligible Applicants: Public and State controlled institutions of

higher education

Private institutions of higher education

City or township governments Native American tribal governments

(Federally recognized)

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the

IRS, other than institutions of higher

education

Special district governments

County governments

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of

higher education State governments

Agency Name:National Endowment for the Humanities **Description:**Digital Projects for the Public grants support

Digital Projects for the Public grants support projects that significantly contribute to the public's engagement with the humanities. Digital platforms—such as websites, mobile applications and tours, interactive touch screens and kiosks, games, and virtual environments—can reach diverse audiences and bring the humanities to life for the American people. The program offers three levels of support for digital projects: grants for Discovery projects (early-stage planning

concept development work), and Production

projects (end-stage production and

work), Prototyping projects (proof-of-

distribution work). While projects can take many forms, shapes, and sizes, your request should be for an exclusively digital project or for a digital component of a larger project.

Link to Additional Information:

http://www.neh.gov/grants/public/digital-

projects-the-public

Contact Information: If you have difficulty accessing the full

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=275769

Humanities in the Public Square Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice **Funding Opportunity Number:** 20150624-LD

Funding Opportunity Title: Humanities in the Public Square

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in

CFDA)

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 45.164 -- Promotion of the Humanities

Public Programs

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:Apr 23, 2015Creation Date:Apr 23, 2015Original Closing Date for Applications:Jun 24, 2015Current Closing Date for Applications:Jun 24, 2015

Archive Date:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$300,000 Award Floor: \$1

Eligible Applicants: City or township governments

State governments

Native American tribal governments

(Federally recognized)
Special district governments

Private institutions of higher education Public and State controlled institutions of

higher education

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the

IRS, other than institutions of higher

education

County governments

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of

higher education

Agency Name:National Endowment for the HumanitiesDescription:The Humanities in the Public Square

program supports scholarly forums, public discussions, and educational resources

related to the themes of a new NEH initiative, The Common Good: The Humanities in the Public Square. Designed to demonstrate the vital role that humanities ideas can play in our civic life, the Humanities in the Public Square program invites projects that draw on humanities scholarship to engage the public in understanding some of today's most challenging issues and pressing concerns. As NEH launches a year-long celebration of its fiftieth anniversary in September 2015, the Common Good initiative seeks to demonstrate the vital role that the humanities can play in our public life. NEH's enabling legislation speaks eloquently of the need to attend to "the relevance of the humanities to the current conditions of national life." Today, as our country grapples with both remarkable opportunities and extraordinary challenges, the "conditions of our national life" suggest that this need is greater than ever. The Common Good initiative envisions humanities scholars and organizations turning their attention and expertise to topics that have widespread resonance with the American people and that lend themselves to humanistic methods and concerns. Organizations are encouraged to think creatively about what discussion topics would be meaningful to their community. A list of questions that exemplify promising subjects might include the following: • How can the humanities illuminate both the positive and worrisome ways in which the remarkable advances in information technology are affecting individuals and communities in contemporary American life? • How can the humanities enrich the debate over the appropriate balance of security and privacy that technological advances have placed before us? • How can the humanities deepen public understanding of the meaning of democratic citizenship in the twenty-first century in relationship to our founding principles and values, our political history, and our current circumstances? • How can the humanities contribute to the understanding of the relationships between humans and the natural world? • How can the humanities illuminate the legacies of recent wars and conflicts and contribute to the achievement of a deeper and broader public understanding of the experience and lessons of war? (For more details, see

Link to Additional Information:

Contact Information:

NEH's Standing Together initiative.) • How can the humanities contribute to the full incorporation of veterans into civilian life and help all of us appreciate their unique perspectives? (For more details see NEH's Standing Together initiative.) • How can the humanities assist the country in addressing the challenges and opportunities created by the changing demographics in many American communities? • How can the humanities illuminate the enormous promise of new biomedical technologies and procedures and deepen our understanding of the complex ethical and personal questions they raise? • How can the humanities address the various forms of cultural and political polarization that have become so prevalent in contemporary American life and thereby contribute to the building of new forms of community and understanding? The Humanities in the Public Square program, a key part of the Common Good initiative, welcomes projects addressing a significant humanities theme that is important to a particular community, region, or state. The theme may be based on one of the questions above or it may address another significant public issue that is informed by the humanities in ways that will appeal to public audiences and concerns. The project should consist of 1. a public forum that engages scholars and humanities practitioners in discussion with a public audience about a theme; 2. subsequent public programs that would use creative formats to engage audiences in reflection on and discussion of a humanities theme for an extended period of time; and 3. educational resources that disseminate materials for ongoing use by teachers, students, and/or lifelong learners. Applicants are strongly encouraged to forge partnerships with other institutions as appropriate (especially state humanities councils), to ensure that the scholarly, public programming, and educational elements are all well conceived and realized.

http://www.neh.gov/grants/public/humanitie s-in-the-public-square

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276088

Research and Development Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number: 20150625-PR

Funding Opportunity Title: Research and Development

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 45.149 -- Promotion of the Humanities Division of

Preservation and Access

No **Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:**

Posted Date: Mar 4, 2015 **Creation Date:** Mar 4, 2015 **Original Closing Date for Applications:** Jun 25, 2015 **Current Closing Date for Applications:** Jun 25, 2015

Archive Date:

Agency Name:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$350,000 **Award Floor:** \$1

Eligible Applicants: Private institutions of higher education

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other

than institutions of higher education

Native American tribal governments (Federally

recognized)

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the

IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Special district governments

State governments

Public and State controlled institutions of higher

education

County governments

City or township governments National Endowment for the Humanities

Description: The Research and Development program supports

projects that address major challenges in preserving or providing access to humanities collections and resources. These challenges include the need to find better ways to preserve materials of critical importance to the nation's cultural heritage—from fragile artifacts and manuscripts

to analog recordings and digital assets subject to

technological obsolescence—and to develop advanced modes of organizing, searching, discovering, and using such materials. This program recognizes that finding solutions to complex problems often requires forming interdisciplinary project teams, bringing together participants with expertise in the humanities; in

preservation; and in information, computer, and natural

science. All projects must demonstrate how advances in preservation and access would benefit the cultural heritage community in supporting humanities research,

teaching, or public programming.

Link to Additional Information: http://www.neh.gov/grants/preservation/research-and-

development

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274934

Bridging Cultures through Film: International Topics Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice **Funding Opportunity Number:** 20150610-TW

Funding Opportunity Title: Bridging Cultures through Film: International Topics

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 45.164 -- Promotion of the Humanities Public Programs

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: Mar 4, 2015
Creation Date: Mar 4, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications: Jun 10, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications: Jun 10, 2015

Archive Date:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: \$650,000 Award Floor: \$1

Eligible Applicants: State governments

Public and State controlled institutions of higher

education

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than institutions of higher education

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IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Private institutions of higher education

County governments

Special district governments City or township governments

Native American tribal governments (Federally

recognized)

Agency Name: National Endowment for the Humanities

Description: NEH's Division of Public Programs supports activities

that engage millions of Americans in understanding significant humanities works and ideas. The Bridging

Cultures through Film: International Topics program supports films that examine international themes and subjects in the humanities. The films are meant to spark Americans' engagement with the broader world by exploring countries and cultures outside of the United States. The Division of Public Programs encourages innovative nonfiction storytelling that presents multiple points of view in creative formats. At the center of every NEH-funded film is a core set of humanities ideas developed with the input of scholars, matched to imaginative formats that bring the humanities alive for people of all ages and all walks of life. The proposed film must be analytical and deeply grounded in humanities scholarship. It may be as short as thirty minutes or as long as a feature-length film. We invite a wide range of approaches to international topics and themes, such as • an examination of a critical issue in ethics, religion, literature, or history, viewed through an international lens; • an exploration of a topic that transcends a single nation-state; • a biography of a foreign leader, writer, artist, or historical figure; or • an exploration of the history and culture(s) of a specific region, country, or community outside of the United States.

Link to Additional Information: http://www.neh.gov/grants/public/bridging-cultures-

through-film-international-topics

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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=274913

Humanities Open Book Program Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice **Funding Opportunity Number:** 20150610-HZ

Funding Opportunity Title: Humanities Open Book Program

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in

CFDA)

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards:

CFDA Number(s): 45.169 -- Promotion of the Humanities

Office of Digital Humanities

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:
Jan 15, 2015
Jan 15, 2015
Original Closing Date for Applications:
Jun 10, 2015
Current Closing Date for Applications:
Jun 10, 2015

Archive Date:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: Award Floor:

Eligible Applicants:

\$100,000 \$50,000

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of

higher education State governments

Private institutions of higher education

Special district governments

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3)

status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education Native American tribal governments

(Federally recognized)

Public and State controlled institutions

of higher education

City or township governments

County governments

National Endowment for the

Humanities

The Humanities Open Book Program is designed to make outstanding outof-print humanities books available to a wide audience. By taking advantage of low-cost ebook technology, the program will allow teachers, students, scholars, and the public to read humanities books that have long been out of print. Humanities Open Book is jointly sponsored by NEH and the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation. Traditionally, printed books have been the primary medium for expressing, communicating, and debating humanistic ideas. However, the vast majority of humanities books sell a small number of copies and then quickly go out of print. Most scholarly books printed since 1923 are not in the public domain and are not easily available to the general public. As a result, there is a huge, mostly untapped resource of remarkable scholarship going back decades that is largely unused by today's scholars, teachers, students, and members of the public, many of whom turn first to the Internet when looking for information. Modern ebook technology can make these books far more accessible than they are today. NEH and Mellon are soliciting proposals from academic

presses, scholarly societies, museums, and other institutions that publish

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Link to Additional Information:

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books in the humanities to participate in the Humanities Open Book Program. Applicants will provide a list of previously published humanities books along with brief descriptions of the books and their intellectual significance. Depending on the length and topics of the books, the number to be digitized may vary. However, NEH and Mellon anticipate that applicants may propose to digitize a total that ranges from less than fifty to more than one hundred books. Awards will be given to digitize these books and make them available as Creative Commons-licensed ebooks that can be read by the public at no charge on computers, mobile devices, and ebook readers. The final ebook files must be in EPUB version 3.0.1 (or later) format, to ensure that the text is fully searchable and reflowable and that fonts are resizable on any e-reading

http://www.neh.gov/grants/odh/human ities-open-book-program

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If you have questions about the program, contact the ODH staff at odh@neh.gov. Applicants wishing to speak to a staff member by telephone should provide in an e-mail message a telephone number and a preferred time to call. odh@neh.gov odh@neh.gov

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=271529



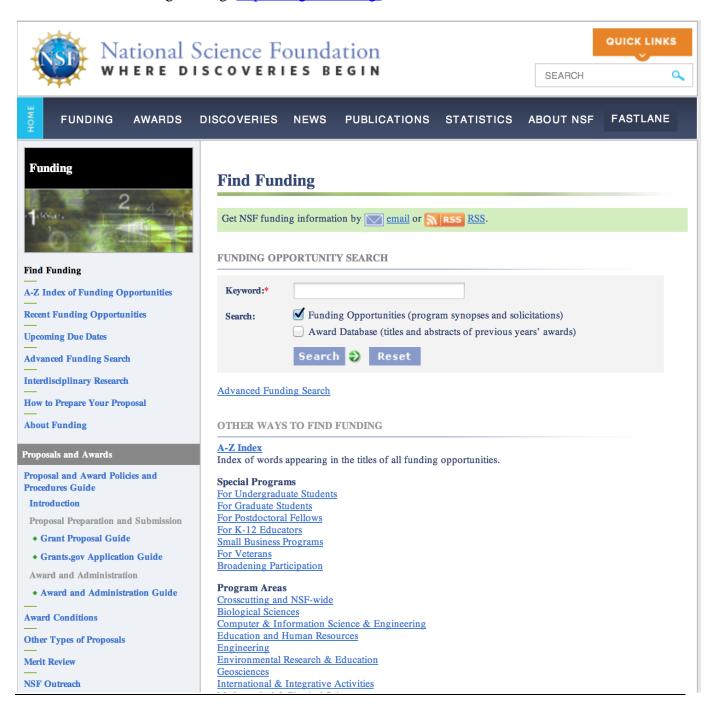
General Funding Overview

The National Science Foundation funds research and education in most <u>fields of science and engineering</u>. It does this through grants, and cooperative agreements to more than 2,000 colleges, universities, K-12 school systems, businesses, informal science organizations and other research organizations throughout the United States. The Foundation accounts for about one-fourth of federal support to academic institutions for basic research.

NSF receives approximately 40,000 proposals each year for research, education and training projects, of which approximately 11,000 are funded. In addition, the Foundation receives several thousand applications for graduate and postdoctoral fellowships.

The agency operates no laboratories itself but does support National Research Centers, user facilities, certain oceanographic vessels and Antarctic research stations. The Foundation also supports cooperative research between universities and industry, US participation in international scientific and engineering efforts, and educational activities at every academic level.

For assistance in finding funding: http://nsf.gov/funding/



Research and Program Grants:

Computer and Information Science and Engineering (CISE) Research Initiation Initiative Grant http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276800

EAR Postdoctoral Fellowships Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276531

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Modifications:

Reminders:

Facilitating Research at Primarily Undergraduate Institutions: Grant

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: 14-579

Funding Opportunity Title: Facilitating Research at Primarily

Undergraduate Institutions:

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other

Research and Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 245

CFDA Number(s): 47.041 -- Engineering Grants

47.049 -- Mathematical and Physical

Sciences

47.050 -- Geosciences

47.070 -- Computer and Information

Science and Engineering 47.074 -- Biological Sciences 47.075 -- Social, Behavioral, and

Economic Sciences

47.076 -- Education and Human

Resources

47.079 -- Office of International and

Integrative Activities

47.081 -- Office of Experimental Program to Stimulate Competitive

Research

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date:
Creation Date:

Jul 2, 2014
Jul 2, 2014

Original Closing Date for Applications: Proposals Accepted Anytime.

Submission deadlines vary by

program and proposals must meet program-specific requirements to be considered for review. PIs should contact cognizant program officers for guidance.

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Proposals Accepted Anytime. Submission deadlines vary by program and proposals must meet program-specific requirements to be considered for review. PIs should contact cognizant program officers for guidance.

Sep 30, 2015 \$56,000,000

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) Who May Submit Proposals:

Proposals may only be submitted by

the following: Eligible predominantly undergraduate institutions (PUIs) are accredited colleges and universities (including two-year community colleges) that award Associate's degrees,

Bachelor's degrees, and/or Master's degrees in NSF-supported fields, but

have awarded 20 or fewer Ph.D./D.Sci. degrees in all NSFsupported fields during the combined previous two academic years. Who May Serve as PI: See Additional Eligibility Information in

Section IV.B of this solicitation. National Science Foundation The Research in Undergraduate

Institutions (RUI) and Research Opportunity Awards (ROA) funding opportunities support research by faculty members at predominantly undergraduate institutions (PUIs). RUI proposals support PUI faculty in research that engages them in their professional field(s), builds capacity for research at their home institution, and supports the integration of research and undergraduate education. ROAs

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organizations where they collaborate with other NSF-supported investigators. Eligible PUIs are

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Eligible Applicants:

Additional Information on Eligibility:

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/contacts.jsp. 1. Research in Undergraduate Institutions (RUI). An RUI proposal may be: A request to support an individual research project or a collaborative research project involving PUI faculty and students at their own or other institutions. A request involving shared research instrumentation. 2. Research Opportunity Awards (ROA). The types of ROA opportunities include: A supplement to an existing NSF award to support ROA activities for PUI faculty. Requests to rebudget funds in an existing NSF award to support ROA activities for PUI faculty. Submission of a new collaborative proposal between a PUI and another institution(s), with a ROA component as a subaward or as part of a linked collaborative proposal. NSF Publication 14-579

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Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:

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Nuclear Regulatory Commission



Small Business Administration

General Overview Finding Loans & Grants

Federal, state and local governments offer a wide range of financing programs to help small businesses start and grow their operations. These programs include low-interest loans, venture capital, and scientific and economic development grants.

Use SBA.gov's <u>Loans and Grants Search Tool</u> to get a list of financing programs for which you may qualify, or visit the resources below to learn more about small business financing programs. To get to the main SBA.gov funding page <u>click here</u>

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Starting or growing a business? Owning a small business can be a fulfilling endeavor, but as you probably already know or are just finding out – it requires that you wear many hats. This of course leaves you with little time to take a deep dive into the many aspects of starting and growing a business. Instead, many business owners turn to search engines for answers when questions come up.

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Welcome to the SBA Small Business Learning Center.

Online Training and Tools for Small Business Owners

Launched in late 2012, the SBA Small Business Learning Center is an online portal that hosts a variety of self-paced online training courses, quick videos, web chats and more to help small business owners explore and learn about the many aspects of business ownership.



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For example, if you're wondering how SBA loan programs work or just need a primer in accounting or small business taxes, check out these self-paced online financing courses and short videos. Or explore tips from the pros in these archived SBA Web Chats.

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Program for Investment in Microentrepreneurs (PRIME) And Modification 2

Document Type: Grants Notice Funding Opportunity Number: PRIME-2015-01

Funding Opportunity Title: Program for Investment in Microentrepreneurs (PRIME)

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement Category of Funding Activity: Business and Commerce

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 35

CFDA Number(s): 59.050 -- Prime Technical Assistance

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Yes

Posted Date: May 18, 2015 **Creation Date:** May 20, 2015

Original Closing Date for Applications: Jun 29, 2015 The closing date is 06/29/2015

at 11:59 P.M. EST.

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Archive Date:

Estimated Total Program Funding:

Award Ceiling: Award Floor:

Eligible Applicants:

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Agency Name: Description:

Jun 29, 2015 The closing date is

06/29/2015 at 11:59 P.M. EST.

Jul 1, 2015 \$5,000,000 \$250,000 \$50,000

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification) An applicant must clearly demonstrate that it is one of the following: A microenterprise development organization or program (or group or Collaborative thereof) such as a non-profit Community Development Financial Institution or similar entity, that has a demonstrated record of delivering microenterprise services to disadvantaged entrepreneurs or • An Intermediary (as defined in Section 8.1) which has experience in delivering technical assistance to disadvantaged entrepreneurs; or A microenterprise development organization or program (as defined in Section 8.1) that is accountable to a local community, working in conjunction with a State or local government or Indian Tribe; or • An Indian tribe acting on its own, if it can certify that

no private organization or program referred to in paragraph in paragraphs (1) exists

within its jurisdiction.

Small Business Administration

The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) has issued Program Announcement No. PRIME-2015-01 to provide training and capacity building grant programs to microenterprise development organizations (MDOs). SBA will evaluate applications for funding in accordance with the purposes of the Act, including an application's ability to demonstrate mission-oriented and culturally competent projects and/or services that reflect local community demographics. Section 5.0 of the Program Announcement more fully defines the specific evaluation criteria. PRIME has two tracks for which SBA will consider granting awards under this program announcement. • Track 1 seeks applications for funding to provide training and technical assistance programs to disadvantaged entrepreneurs including training specifically designed to implement automated financial accounting, financial reporting, and inventory management systems, etc. • Track 2 (Capacity Building) – seeks applications for funding to provide training and capacity building services to

MDOs, microenterprise development programs, and groups of such organizations to assist them in developing microenterprise training and services, including services geared towards building MDO capacity to provide business training and technical assistance that will improve the ability of small businesses.

Link to Additional Information: Contact Information:

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

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SBA Trainings

Small Business Resources at your Fingertips http://content.govdelivery.com/accounts/USSBA/bulletins/d23b63

Contracting Opportunities for Veteran Entrepreneurs

This self-paced training exercise is an introduction to Federal contracting opportunities for Veterans.

Topics include basic information about Veteran-owned businesses and opportunities, services available to small Veteran-owned businesses, small business incentives, and government procurement methods.

Duration: 00:30:00

http://www.sba.gov/tools/sba-learning-center/training/contracting-opportunities-veteran-entrepreneurs

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Did you know that two-thirds of the world's purchasing power is in foreign countries? As

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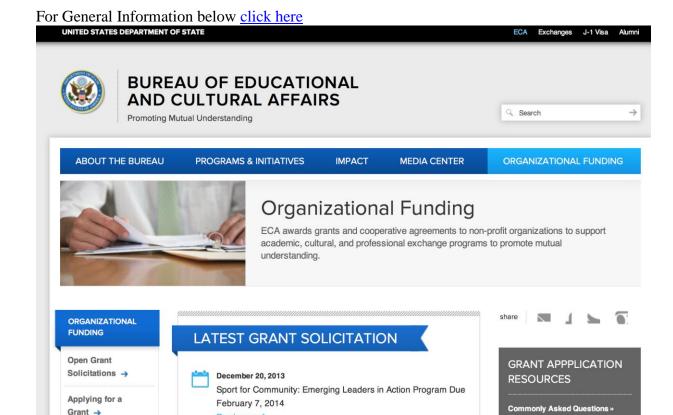
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General Overview and Resources for Program Administrators Advice on Funding Opportunities:

- The Bureau of Educational & Cultural Affairs Grant Process (PDF)
- Proposal Solicitation Eligibility and Process (PDF)
- Making Your Grant Proposal Competitive (PDF)
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http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276715

U.S. Mission to Dominican Republic

U.S. Embassy Santo Domingo Public Affairs Small Grants Program Statement Grant http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276903

International Narcotics and Law Enforcement Affair Guatemala: Rule of Law and Child Sexual Assault Grant http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276928

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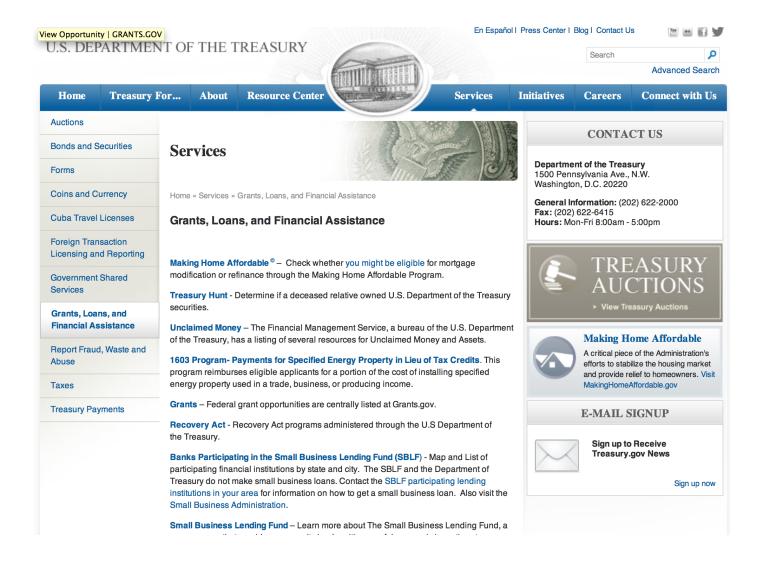
Information on implementation of specific titles of MAP-21, including new programs, interim guidance, and common questions and answers.

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Low Income Taxpayer Clinic (LITC) Modification 1

Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: TREAS-GRANTS-052016-001 **Funding Opportunity Title:** Low Income Taxpayer Clinic

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Law, Justice and Legal Services

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 150

CFDA Number(s): 21.008 -- Low Income Taxpayer Clinics

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: Ye

Posted Date: May 1, 2015 **Creation Date:** May 1, 2015 Original Closing Date for Applications:

Current Closing Date for Applications:

Jun 15, 2015 No Explanation

Jun 15, 2015 No Explanation

Archive Date: Jul 15, 2015

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$10,000,000 **Award Ceiling:** \$100,000 \$100,000 \$1,000

Eligible Applicants: Private institutions of higher education

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of

higher education

Public and State controlled institutions

of higher education

Agency Name:Low Income Taxpayer Clinic (LITC) **Description:**LITCs represent low income taxpayer

LITCs represent low income taxpayers involved in controversies with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS), educate individuals who speak English as a second language (ESL) about their rights and responsibilities as taxpayers, or both. Representation, education, and advocacy are the primary functions of LITCs. LITCs provide services to taxpayers for free or for no more than a

nominal fee.

Link to Additional Information: Low Income Taxpayer Clinic

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Grants.gov Contact Center Phone Number: 1-800-518-4726 New

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Community Development Financial Institutions

FY 2015 Bank Enterprise Award Program

Modification 3

Document Type:Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:
CDFI-2015-BEA

Funding Opportunity Title: FY 2015 Bank Enterprise Award Program

Opportunity Category: Discretionary

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Community Development

Category Explanation:

Expected Number of Awards: 80

CFDA Number(s): 21.021 -- Bank Enterprise Award Program

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Posted Date: May 4, 2015

Creation Date: May 4, 2015 Jun 15, 2015 **Original Closing Date for Applications:** Jun 15, 2015 **Current Closing Date for Applications: Archive Date:** Jun 16, 2015 **Estimated Total Program Funding:** \$18,000,000 \$2,000,000 **Award Ceiling: Award Floor:** \$1.500

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

FDIC-Insured Depository Institutions **Additional Information on Eligibility:**

(banks and thrifts).

Agency Name: Community Development Financial

Institutions

Through the Bank Enterprise Award **Description:** Program (BEA Program), the U.S.

> Department of the Treasury's Community **Development Financial Institutions Fund**

(CDFI Fund) supports FDIC-insured

financial institutions around the country that are dedicated to financing and supporting community and economic development activities. The BEA Program complements the community development activities of insured depository institutions (i.e., banks and thrifts) by providing monetary awards for increasing investments in CDFIs and for increasing qualified lending, investment, and service activities within economically distressed communities. Providing BEA Program awards for increasing community development activities leverages the CDFI Fund's dollars and puts more capital to

work in distressed communities throughout

the nation.

Link to Additional Information: BEA Program webpage on the CDFI Fund's

website.

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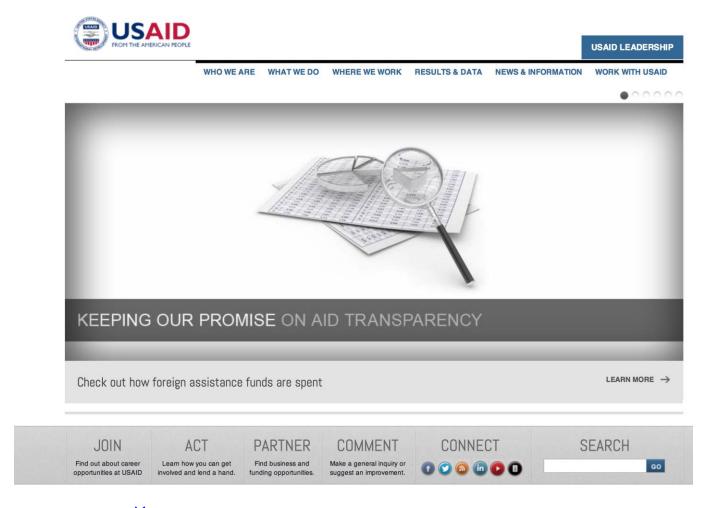
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Stand Alone Roads Activity (SARA) Community Involvement Program Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276612

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Libya Development Challenge: Co-create/co-design Grant

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Morocco USAID-Rabat

Intermediary Support Organizations Activity Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276773

Ocean Freight Reimbursement Program(OFR) FY2015 and FY2016 Grant

http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=276511

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The Small Business Innovative Research Program - SBIR Program

The Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) program is a highly competitive program that encourages domestic small businesses to engage in Federal Research/Research and Development (R/R&D) that has the potential for commercialization. Through a competitive awards-based program, SBIR enables small businesses to explore their technological potential and provides the incentive to profit from its commercialization. By including qualified small businesses in the nation's R&D arena, high-tech innovation is stimulated and the United States gains entrepreneurial spirit as it meets its specific research and development needs.

SBIR Mission and Program Goals

The mission of the SBIR program is to support scientific excellence and technological innovation through the investment of Federal research funds in critical American priorities to build a strong national economy.

The program's goals are four-fold:

- Stimulate technological innovation
- Meet Federal research and development needs.
- Foster and encourage participation in innovation and entrepreneurship by socially and economically disadvantaged persons.
- Increase private-sector commercialization of innovations derived from Federal research and development funding.

SBIR-Participating Agencies

Each year, Federal agencies with extramural research and development (R&D) budgets that exceed \$100 million are required to allocate 2.5 percent of their R&D budget to these programs. Currently, eleven Federal agencies participate in the program:

- Department of Agriculture
- Department of Commerce National Institute of Standards and Technology
- Department of Commerce National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
- Department of Defense
- Department of Education
- Department of Energy
- Department of Health and Human Services
- Department of Homeland Security
- Department of Transportation
- Environmental Protection Agency
- National Aeronautics and Space Administration
- National Science Foundation

Each agency administers its own individual program within guidelines established by Congress. These agencies designate R&D topics in their solicitations and accept proposals from small businesses. Awards are made on a competitive basis after proposal evaluation.

Three-Phase Program

The SBIR Program is structured in three phases:

Phase I. The objective of Phase I is to establish the technical merit, feasibility, and commercial potential of the proposed R/R&D efforts and to determine the quality of performance of the small business awardee organization prior to providing further Federal support in Phase II. SBIR Phase I awards normally do not exceed \$150,000 total costs for 6 months.

Phase II. The objective of Phase II is to continue the R/R&D efforts initiated in Phase I. Funding is based on the results achieved in Phase I and the scientific and technical merit and commercial potential of the project proposed in Phase II. Only Phase I awardees are eligible for a Phase II award. SBIR Phase II awards normally do not exceed \$1,000,000 total costs for 2 years.

Phase III. The objective of Phase III, where appropriate, is for the small business to pursue commercialization objectives resulting from the Phase I/II R/R&D activities. The SBIR program does not fund Phase III. Some Federal agencies, Phase III may involve follow-on non-SBIR funded R&D or production contracts for products, processes or services intended for use by the U.S. Government